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Still cool after all these years

By Ginny Skweres

Staff Reporter

There are problems at the Antioch Aquatic Center, but there are still swimming lessons in the morning and the pool is open for swimming in the afternoon. So if the children are hot it is still a great place to go and enjoy the summer

The Antioch Park District has already had to fix some pool problems this year.

"We just got the baby pool up and running on the Fourth of July," Park Director Laurie Stahl said. "The concrete was crumbling and would disintegrate when they tried to repair it. It was a major project."

The district recently replaced a chlorinator and is concerned about a hairline crack in the large pool. If it gets larger and separates, the pool would need to be drained in order to repair it, Stahl said.

The Fourth of July is usually the busiest day of the year, but the afternoon change in the weather

kept people away.
The village is looking for a piece of property on which to build a new aquatic center and separate recreation center. According to Stahl, the negotiations are ongoing and the aquatic center could be ready for use in 2007.

"We have to get through another year with this one," Stahl said.

The 35100-foot pool was built in 1958 and served a much smaller population.

"The community has grown since then," Stahl said.

She does get complaints from pool-users, especially in regard to camp kids, she said. "The district's day camp and the Peppermint Stick day camp children take up about one-third of the deck

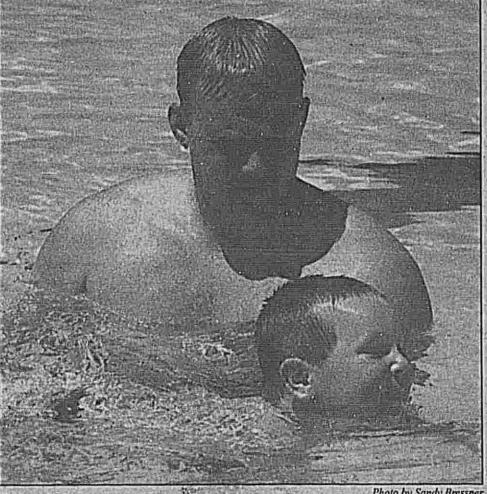


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(Above) James Dalgaard of Antioch helps 4-yearold Matthew Auckland of Lake Villa learn to swim at the Antioch **Aqua Center at Williams** Park. (Left) Ten-year-old J.J. Aparo of Antioch leaps into the water from the diving board during a visit to the Antioch Agua Center.

area," she said. However, the day camps generate income for the district.

Plans for the new Aquatic Center include a zero depth for children and some water slides and lap lanes entrance to the pool "The center will be similar to the centers in Grayslake and Gurnee," she said.

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Paddock Publications agrees to purchase **Lakeland Media**

Paddock Ventures LLC has agreed to purchase Lakeland Media from the William Schroeder family. Paddock Ventures is a subsidiary of Paddock Publications Inc., publisher of the Daily Herald.

The announcement was made at the weekly newspaper group's office in Grayslake on July 12, where Schroeder said that the sale begins a new era of success for the newspaper and the staff.

> Full story in Lake County, Section C

Taste summer at Antioch's 14th annual celebration

By Ginny Skweres Staff Reporter

Antioch's Taste of Summer will begin next Thursday at noon and last until 6 p.m. on Sunday, and takes place at the Orchard Extension and Skidmore. Are you up to four days of partying? There are special events scheduled all four days, with something for everyone. Food, entertainment, rides, sidewalk sales, Bingo, and Pepsi and Miller products to drink are all part of the fun.

The Antioch Chamber of Commerce will host the event with some financial help from a number of sponsors as well as participation from some local civic groups.

Thursday the local band, "Crows

Feet," featuring author, heads evening's entertainment up Donna Abear, from 7 to 10 p.m. All musical entertainment will appear in the Band Shell near Skidmore Drive.

Friday night's entertainment has returned due to popular demand. "US 99's Mike Meyer's with Bernie Glim and the Country Roads Band" will perform from 8 to 11 p.m. Saturday evening will feature "BBI Live" from 8 to 11 p.m. On Sunday the whole family can enjoy "American English" between 1 and 3:30 p.m. That band attracts a large audience according to Porch, and people come early to make certain they get good seats. Other bands will

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SAW IT UP

Steve Gillisple of Island Lake shows his son Kevin how to saw wood for the fire while camping at the Chain 'O Lakes State Park in McHenry County.

Kids find Summer Camp

Life skills part of camp's mission

By Kathy Gresey

Staff Reporter

It's summer. It's hot, and children are constantly looking for things to do.

At Lionheart Marshall Arts Summer Camp in Lake Villa there is no shortage of physical and mental activities to keep kids occupied.

Whether a child is enrolled part-time or full-time he or she will always be busy learning and having fun at one of the most well-rounded summer camps in the area.

Activities at Lionheart are numerous. They include martial arts classes, good character and leadership training, crafts, games, contests, field trips to the beach, library and movies as well as instruction in Korean tradition.

Attendance can be customized. First through sixth graders may attend camp two to five days a week and may arrive and leave anywhere between 6:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Enrollment may be for just one week or as many as 11 weeks.

"It's a lot of fun," said Master Instructor Chris Kemmerer, who runs Lionheart with his wife Kathy. "Kids learn a lot more than they would at other summer classes because our classes are more in-depth."

All martial arts levels are welcome, from beginner to high-ranking, said Kemmerer.

In addition to Tae Kwon Do, GumDo (foam sword), Sun Do, and self-protection training, enrollees will learn Korean language, etiquette and customs.

"Kids love it. Parents are happy with it," he said. "Summer Camp is not day care. It's life care."

Twelve-year-old Alex Babik is enrolled in Summer Camp this year and was also enrolled last year. He attends the last half of the week and said he likes it because he learns a lot and has fun.

"I like the forms, the self defense and hanging out with my friends," he said.

One of his favorite activities was seeing Madagascar, he said.

For more information on Summer Camp or other Lionheart programs call 847-265-4800.

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XAntioch development team gets a boost with LaMere

By Ginny Skweres

Staff Reporter

Claude LaMere, the former community development director of Antioch until May 2001, accepted a new position as the village's director of community service. Elliot Liebson will continue in his position as economic development director. They will both work with Billie Horten, director of special events.

LaMere said he is gearing towards stabilizing the tax base that was thrown out of balance with all of the development of the east side of town.

"We need to bring in commercial and light industry that would provide tax benefits for schools, since it would add jobs and sales tax, but no kids," LaMere said.

LaMere plans to make that happen by continuing to promote the downtown area and develop the Route 173 corridor.

"We need to enhance our town that came from We have excellent restaurants and all the makings to bake the cake are there," LaMere said. "We have a lot of things other downtowns don't have. We have the Lake County Historical Society and the Picard Museum. Downtown has a lot of amenities and we'll continue to build on that.

"We have an exceptional group of talented downtown merchants," LaMere said. "We're looking forward to the cohesiveness in the next couple of months that makes Antioch the great community it is."

"It's great to be here and I've had a wonderful reception from the merchants. It is the support from the citizens and merchants that just drives us to put out that 110 percent effort to really perform," he said.

"My coming on board pulls our team together. Billie Horton has all the building blocks, Elliot adds education in the pocket of economic development and I have age and experience," he said. "We mesh, absolutely."

"We're here because we've been asked to do that organization under a new name - the Department of community Services, and we're up to the task," LaMere said.

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Italian Cafe is the real thing

A little taste of Italy in your hometown

By Ginny Skweres

Staff Reporter

he Depot Street Station is a small collection of storefronts, east of Main Street on Orchard Street. Just follow the winding road and the center pops up on the left. Not surprisingly, it is near the train depot.

Jeremy and Angie Childers were the first lease signers for their restaurant Angies Italian Market and Café, at 311 Depot Street. It took a little while for the couple to open because they wanted to create an authentic atmosphere.

"We tried to give it as much of an Italian design as possible," Jeremy Childers said. "Angie travels to Italy every other year because she has family there, and she brings back the newest styles and ideas from Italy."

The tiles on the floor and the black wrought iron furniture were all selected for their authenticity. There are things hanging on the ceiling, like copperware and bundles of wheat because, "They hang everything in Italy," Childers said

The background music is subtle but it too adds to the ambience. It is modern Italian music, sung in the mother tongue. It's enjoyable and takes awhile to even notice it's in

"Almost all of the ingredients are imported with a few exceptions

since some is made here by Italian companies," Childers said.

"Everything we have is homemade. We bake our bread and sweets. We use imported meat, cheeses and olives," he said. They are open from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, and from 8 a.m. to noon on Saturday when they offer a special breakfast buffet.

"We have regular customers who come here on Saturdays," he said. The summer tourists have kept them a little busier than usual, but Childers said their busiest month is December.

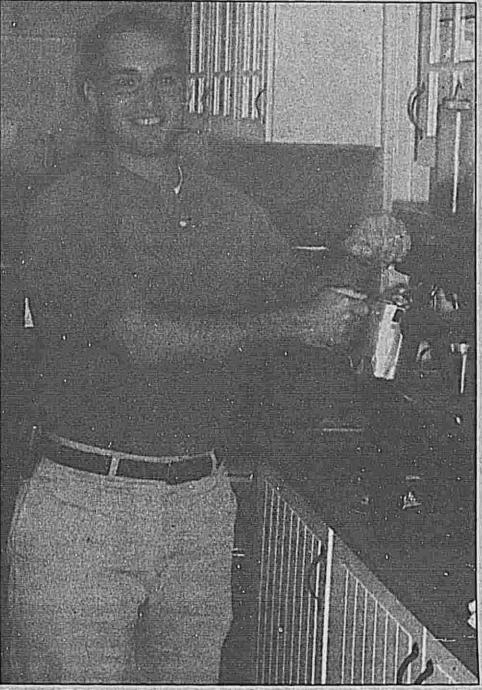
"We serve salads, sandwiches, pasta and homemade soup," he said. One of their specialties is coffee drinks.

"We have four trained baristas, coffee drink specialists, who have learned how to make the specialty coffee drinks, beginning with espresso. They offer iced frozen drinks, cappuccino, their famous caramello and chai tea, he said.

In an effort to please their customers, the café offers food for takeout, and with enough notice, at least an hour, they will deliver orders. They even have a special children's menu. The café has seating for about 60 people plus the seasonal outdoor seating.

It's also possible to buy other Italian specialties like Italian candies, dry pasta and sauces. They have baskets of specialty items.

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Jeremy Childers, who owns the cafe with his wife Angle, begins with espresso to make a one of a many specialty coffee drinks.

Elementary School District 34's new superintendent, Scott Thompson takes charge

By Ginny Skweres

Staff Reporter

Elementary School District 34's new superintendent is Scott Thompson, who is busily trying to learn everything he can about Antioch. This is a little easier for him now that he has moved from Buffalo Grove to Antioch.

"I've enjoyed moving to the community and getting to know the people," Superintendent Thompson said. "Right now one of my goals is to listen and figure things out. I've been so pleasantly surprised. It's a great place."

Thompson began his career in education as a fifth grade teacher in Lincolnwood, before he went to Buffalo Grove where he was an assistant principal and principal of a middle school. During his seven years as principal, his school's student population grew by more than

400 percent, from 150 to 650 children.

That experience will be useful as Antioch continues to grow. The district serves children in Antioch and parts of Lindenhurst, Lake Villa and Millburn and he describes the potential for growth as 'overwhelming.'

As a superintendent his job description will be different than he was principal. In that position he was able to make inroads to families and kids. He was able to let others worry about finances and buildings. As the superintendent he will be responsible for dealing with the public and the politicians.

"You're kind of the flag bearer (as superintendent) for the district. You have to be out there and work with everyone and pull together.

As the new superintendent,

Thompson has prioritized what he wants to accomplish in the district.

"My number one priority is helping kids learn. I want to continue to improve teaching, learning and increasing student achievement," he said.

"We need to plan for the future to make sure we have the facilities and finances in place for the growth we'll probably experience," Thompson said. "We really do need to plan for when other subdivisions are allowed." Currently new housing develop-

ments in Antioch are unlikely to

be approved because the vil-

Thompson: District 34 Superintendent

be replaced. "I also plan to meet with School High Superintendent Jay Sabatino so we can work together, so when our kids go to high school they come with the skills the high school expects and the change will be kind of seamless," Thompson said. "Curriculum alignment

capacity and needs to

is the key we're talking about." The district has tremendous pride in the district and that adds value to the community, he said he wants to preserve that pride so new people will have that same pride in their schools and the community.

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Currently District 34 is facing the decision whether to bus children from Tiffany Farms subdivi-

Children in Tiffany Farms had been bussed to school and the majority of the cost was reimbursed by the state. Now a cul-de-sac in the subdivision has been changed into a

That creates a shorter, safer route to school. The state will only reimburse the district for their transportation costs if children live more than one and a half miles from the school or the route is hazardous.

"I think the Board of Education really wants the kids to be safe. They have to balance

bussing with fiscal responsibility and equitable treatment. There are other children who walk," Superintendent Scott Thompson

"We're going to continue looking at this issue to help parents with their safety concerns. It's top on my list of issues to resolve," Thompson said.

"I don't think any possibility has been eliminated. I'm committed to communicating so the community can be up-to-date on what is occurring.

Thompson met with Mayor Dorothy Larson on Monday.

"It was just a get-to-knowyou meeting, but it was a good meeting and he's a lovely man," Larson said.

Larson had been quoted as saying she would help the parents look into the discontinued bus service for Tiffany Farms.

According to Thompson, the village board had approved the plan to put in the through street.

Larson said it is not uncommon for the village board to allow a subdivision to change its street plan and put in a through street.

The board didn't know that in this case the change would disallow bus transportation, but said she and Thompson are both concerned about the safety of the children.

Larson thinks the village and school boards will be able to reach some kind of compromise, but it might not please everyone. She said Thompson would meet with the village attorney to discuss the situation.

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Farewell to Reverend Curl

ev. Gary L. Curl of the United Methodist Church of Antioch, will be preaching, conducting services and saying a formal farewell to the congregation on Sunday July 31. He is leaving to answer a call at an Elgin Church. Rev. Curl came to Antioch in July of 2000.

The public is invited to attend an Open House to honor Rev. Curl and his family from noon to 2 p.m. that afternoon in the Wesley Fellowship Hall, 848 Main St., Antioch. There will be a short program at 1:30 p.m.

Rev. Curl has also been the chaplain to the Antioch Police Department and works closely with many ministries within the village.

He came to serve the police department following a most unfortunate incident. Reverend Curl and his wife were the victims of a home invasion during which Curl was savagely attacked.

The Antioch Police Department answered the call in less than two minutes and were able to intervene. That is how Chief Charles Fagan became acquainted with Curl.

"At the time, we had no employee assistance program. We had no one for any cop to turn to for help," Chief Fagan

"I met him after the ttack. When he learned of our need, he offered his services." Curl put together a chaplaincy program and has headed it up since that time.

"He will be sorely missed," Fagan said. "He has been anasset to the community. The police department will be represented at the service," Fagan said. Curl had surgeries and has healed physically, Fagan said.

"I think it will take a long time for him and his wife to feel comfortable," Fagan said. "He never let it get in the way of serving the community."

The United Methodist Church sends an open invitation to anyone who would like to participate in this event. For more information, please call the church office 847-395-1259.

Be sure to visit a Taste of Summer in downtown Antioch next weekend. It is certain to be a good time and is a way for the community to strengthen its connections. A large number of business owners and residents have worked together to create the event. Feel free to come hungry and sample the food offered by area restaurants.

If you have interesting information or anecdotes to submit for "Our Town" call staff reporter Ginny Skweres at 847-223-8161, ext. 154 or e-mail, ginnys@lakelandmedia.com

Local schools could see increase in state funding

Geo-Karis announce possible aid

According to a release by Adeline Gco-Karis, (R-Zion) a number of schools in the 31st Senatorial District will receive additional revenue from the state, estimated at \$3.2 million more than last year.

The funding is not concrete but allocations show that most of the schools will' receive additional revenues in general state aid for the 2005-2006 school year, according to Geo-Karis.

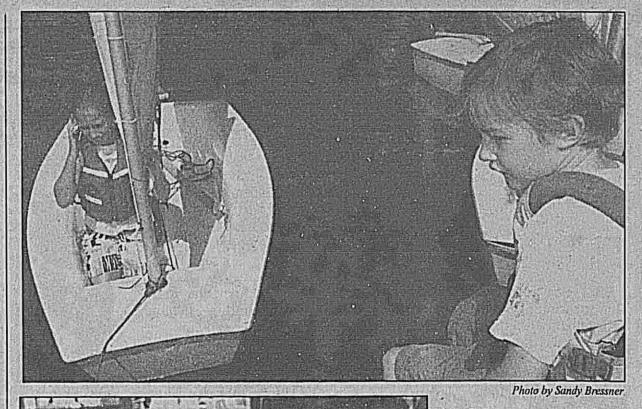
Senator Geo-Karis said that area schools would receive approximately \$29.2 million to help pay for state-mandated costs, which include free lunch programs, special education courses, and transportation; this is a \$1.4 million increase from last year. The 31st District schools have also been allocated \$3.4 million to pay for the cost of non-required programs, including early childhood pro-

grams, bilingual courses, career and technical courses, and agricultural education.

Almost every public school in the district has been designated increases in financial support to pay for state-required programs, in addition to the overall funding increases that this year's education budget reflects, Senator Geo-Karis said, but the funding projections are not yet finalized.

According to State Board of Education the following are estimates in funding differences for local schools in the 2005-2006 school year: Antioch District 117 stands to gain \$182,634; Emmons District 33 could gain \$15,978, Grass Lake District 36 increases are anticipated to be \$24,509.

Antioch District 34, Lake Villa District 41 and Millburn District 24 would receive no increase.





SAILING OUT

(Above) Duncan Hughes, 8, of Green Oaks sits on the pier before getting into a sailboat with his sister, Hannah, 10, during a sailing lesson at the Pistakee Yacht Club. (Left) Albert Alfano, 11, carries his sail during a lesson at the Pistakee Yacht Club in McHenry County.

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CELEBRATION

perform in the afternoon. There will be 400 chairs available for seating and people are welcome to bring blankets or lawn chairs. No coolers will be allowed at the Taste of Summer.

The food vendors are all under one big tent and the tent opens at noon everyday except Sunday when it opens at 11 a.m. The following restaurants will have a booth in the tent: Brat Shop, Casperson Company, Charcoal Delights, Chocolate Obsession, Golden Panda, Dairy Queen, Grande Jakes, Mexican Paradise Café, Rib House, Taste of Italy by Binanti, Triple Ps and Victor's Grill.

The Chamber will sell beer, hard lemonade and wine and it will be monitored. "Everyone will be carded the first time, even people who are 82 years-old," Barbara Porch, president of the Chamber of Commerce said. Everyone who buys alcohol will be given a wristband at their first purchase, so individuals are carded only once. Soft

drinks will be available as well.

Sponsors include the Antioch Chamber,
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Civic groups and banks who will help in a

Civic groups and banks who will help in a variety of ways including the Rotary Club, Lions Club, First National Bank Employee Owned and State Bank of the Lakes.

"It's a nice way for different aspects of the community to benefit the whole community," Porch said. Many people in the community have worked hard to bring this about.

"We spend a lot to make it nice for everyone," Porch said. "It's an event we're very proud to bring to the community."

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Friends of the Library make donation to Antioch Library

The Antioch Library Friends recently donated a check for \$7,500 to the Library to cover the purchase of a flat screen TV and a DVD player and DVDS for "Art Frame by Frame."

Art Doty of the Lakes Area Historical Society contributed a DVD displaying historical Antioch postcards. Julie Elver, art teacher at Antioch Community High School and her students donated a DVD of students' artwork.

The project was Rose Noel's brainchild,

who came up with the idea and volunteered many hours coordinating purchase and installation of the equipment as well as identifying resources for the DVD's and arranging their production.

Friends of the Library are seeking additional DVD's with a Lake County focus for display at the Library. If any person or organization is interested in contributing a DVD, please leave a message for Noel at the library at 847-395-0874, and she will contact you.

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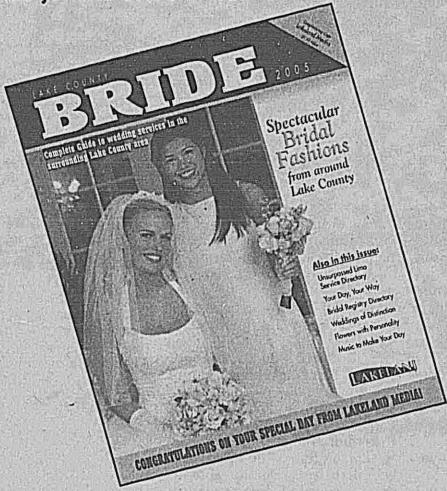
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Driving Without a license

Hector J. Landa, 20, of 1103 Shoreland, Round Lake Beach was stopped July 10 at Route 83 and Beach Grove Road for driving 45 mph in a 30 mph-zone. He was ticketed for speeding, failure to display a front license registration, and not having a valid driving license. He was released on a cash bond and is scheduled for court on Aug. 10.

Amber C. Knight, 24, of 387 Poplar, Antioch, was stopped July 9for disobeying a traffic signal at Route 173 and Deep Lake Road. She was also charged with improper lane usage and driving on a revoked license. She was released on a personal recognizance bond and is scheduled to appear in court on Aug. 24.

David P. Wallace, 21, of 24917 69 St., Salem, Wis., was stopped by police July 8, at North Avenue and Trevor because he did not have a light on his rear registration plate. He was also charged with driving without a valid license. He was released on personal recognizance and is scheduled to appear in court on Aug. 10.

Raul Navarro, 49, of 5537 S. Fianicico, Chicago was stopped July 6 for driving 39 mph in a 25 mph-zone. He was charged with speeding, and driving while license was suspended. He was released on personal recognizance and is scheduled to appearing court on July 27.

Kathryn J. Roe, 42, of 780 Main Street, Antioch, was stopped on July 4 at Main Street and Poplar after police pursued her with lights and siren. She finally stopped at North Avenue and Lakewood. She was charged with attempted fleeing and eliding, improper lane usage, illegal transportation of alcohol and reckless driving. She was released on personal recognizance and is scheduled to appear in court on Aug. 24.

LAKE VILLA

Driving without a valid license

Jose J. Hernandez, 17, of 293 Joanna Court in Antioch was charged July 8 with driving without a valid driver's license. He was released on I-Bond pending a court date Aug. 10.

William M. Long, 29, of 30 Cedar Ave. in Lake Villa was charged July 6 with driving with a suspended license. He was given a court date of Aug. 10.

Francis Lassik, 21, of 35665 N. Oakwood Ave. in Ingleside was charged July 8 with operating an uninsured motor vehicle, driving with a revoked license and no front plate.

Swane L. Springs, 34, of 302 Gillett Ave. in Waukegan was charged July 9 with driving with a suspended license and no registration. He was released on notice to appear Aug. 10.

Warrant

John Lenora, 40, of 160 Butternut Court in Round Lake Beach was arrested July 8 on an in-state warrant for battery and telephone harassment. He was turned over to the Gurnee Police Department.

Battery

Jason K. Newman, 31, of 913 Eaton Court in Lake Villa was charged July 6 with domestic battery. He was transported to the Lake Ocunty Jail.

Found property

A Magna "Outreach" Bicycle was found July 4. The serial number on the red frame bike is 99TD470371.

A wallet and checkbook were found in the middle of Route 83by the Deep Lake Apartments. The wallet contained miscellaneous paperwork and \$5 cash.

Werchek leaves District 34 Board

Replacement needed to finish term

Kathy Werchek resigned from the Elementary District 34 School Board because she is moving out of the district boundaries, which makes her ineligible to serve. Wercek has been a long-time resident of Antioch and has previously served on the High School district 117 Board of Education.

Werchek was elected by the voters to serve on the board in April and a replacement will be needed to take her place until her term ends.

Registered voters who live within the school boundaries are eligible to apply for the position. Any one who is interested may call Rose Mohr at the District 34 office at 847-838-8401 to receive an application.

In addition to Werchek, Board President Steve Turner anticipates leaving the board with two years remaining in his term. That means a second new board member will be needed.

Turner told the board he planned to retire from the board if he won a seat as an Antioch Township Trustee, but was asked to stay until negotiations with the teachers were complete.

District 34 serves the village of Antioch and parts of Lindenhurst, Lake Villa and Millburn.

Allure attracts beauty lovers

New salon and spa presents professional pampering

By Kathy Gresey

Staff Reporter

Those interested in looking and feeling their best have an attractive new option.

Allure Salon and Day Spa recently opened its doors in Lake Villa and is offering area residents a wide variety of professional beauty treatments.

The salon and spa offers numerous services including hair coloring and style, therapeutic massages, manicures, pedicures, waxing, makeovers and facials.

"We want people to come here, relax and feel pampered," said Noordin Ali, co-owner. "Lake Villa is a great town with good people. It seems like they needed a spa."

Ali runs Allure with fellow owner, Eva Pakulski. Currently, the two have the help of an incredible and highly qualified 11-person staff.

"We're very fortunate. We have a great staff," said Pakulski. "It can be hard to find good people."

The two say that business has been steady since opening a month ago. Popular services have been pedicures and highlights—great summertime beauty pick-me-ups.

Spa packages are also on the menu. The five-hour Day of Pampering package includes a full-hour therapeutic message, full-hour therapeutic facial, gourmet lunch, a manicure, pedicure and hairstyle for \$250.

icure and hairstyle for \$250. Similar packages offer different treatments and are priced accordingly. Party packages are offered at discount prices.

To maintain a peaceful environment the spa facility is reserved for adults. No children under the age of 18 are allowed in the spa unless they are receiving services.

Ali and Pakulski said they look forward to building their client base and getting involved with the community. They said they both enjoy running the salon.

"It took a lot of work to accomplish but it was followed by a great sense of relief," said Pakulski. "I enjoy doing everything here."

Allure is located at 895 E. Grand Ave, in the Grand Villa Shops complex and is open seven days a week. Walk-ins are welcome. For more information call 847-265-6401.

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(Left to right:) Brittany Paschall, Ashley Daye, Noordin Ali, Eva Pakulski, Candace Curtis, Katle Kaminski, Liz Erster, Alexis Keysow and Annina Purnell make up Allure's staff. The Lake Villa salon and day spa opened in June.





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Bike Run to raise funds for pediatric brain tumor research

All encourage to enter 35-mile ride

By Ginny Skweres

Staff Reporter

As one of the Lake Villa bike riders, Mayor Frank Loffredo is looking forward to Sunday's "Ride for Kids," a motorcycle ride to raise funds for researching pediatric brain tumors. Honda U.S.A. sponsors the event and Lake Villa is part of the Midwest region.

The Lake Villa entourage will meet at Neilson Enterprises, 130 S. Milwaukee Ave., Lake Villa, early Sunday morning. People who are interested can pick up registration forms at Neilson's to turn in Sunday morning. Ted Neilson is a sponsor for the ride to Northbrook, where the entire Midwest region will meet.

Any bikers who want to ride can register before 7 a.m., when the ride begins. The donation is \$35 for each bike. Last year about 150 bikers from Lake Villa participated. Lake Villa had the honor of raising the most money, \$110,000, in the entire country, Loffredo said. That amount was before the pledges were counted which increased the total.

"We ride as a group to Northbrook, about 35 miles," he side. The ride is a controlled ride and takes about an hour.

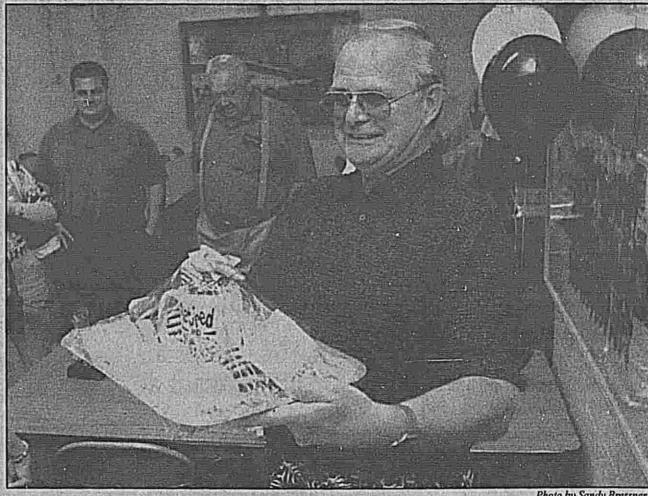
The entire group of thousands of bikers will do a controlled ride and are then given lunch, Neilson said. There are about 20 groups of riders throughout the country.

"I think this is something that needs attention," Neilson said, "The kids are so very brave." The research has extended the children's lives by an average of two or three years, and some have been

able to go on to college, Neilson said.
"It's fun because of the group, everyone stops for us," the mayor said. All groups arrive at their destination, the All State Insurance Company in Northbrook. Each sponsoring dealership helps to raise money in a variety of ways. Neilson sells raffle tickets for prizes, Loffredo said

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FORMER POLICEMAN PARTIES



Bob Luerssen gets a look at a homemade retirement gift during a party in his honor at the former Fox Lake Volunteer Fire Department headquarters in Ingleside. Lucrssen retired after 28 years with the Fox Lake Police Department.

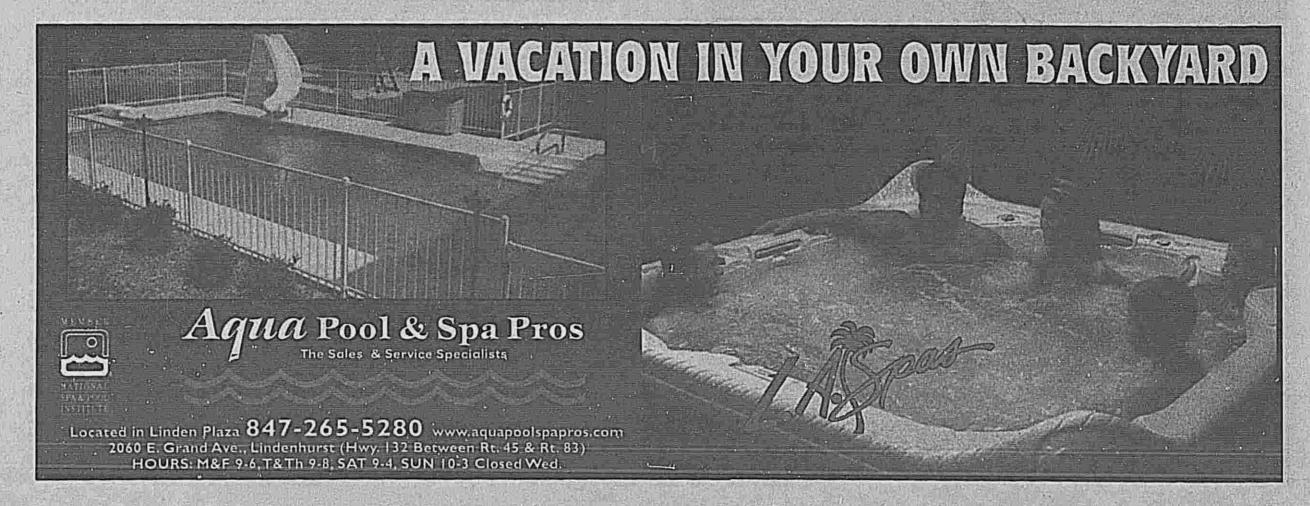
Hats off to Antioch Upper Grade school graduates

Jeralyn A. Aguirre, Jacob Tyler Allen, Briane Marie Amodeo, Abigail L. Anderson, Joshua D. Arnold, Martha Jo Elaine Arntson, Courtney Evelyn Bachara , Brian Joseph Baiocchi, Sarah Nicole Balza, Matthew Scott Banis , Christine Marie Barnard , Crystal Rose Barton , Kelly Anne Basinger , Danielle Christine Becker, Samantha Lee Beckford, Heather Rose Bednar , Nancy Jean Bell , Trevor R. Beltran , Karina Marie Bennett , Elizabeth Christine Benson, Cassandra Leigh Berg, Jennifer Renae Bergstrom, Nora Jane Bock, Thomas Noah Bohmann, Lacey Nicole Bolton, Cailene Victoria Bovee , Mathew Edward Braden, Jessica Nicole Bragg, Daniel Alexander Brenner , Fabian Stefan Briones , Jimena Yatziry Brito , Mary Elise Brooke , Allyson Kirsty Brown, Charlena Marie Brown, Damian Brown, Kristen Nichole Brown, Sarah L. Brown, Carilyn L. Bruning, Erika G. Bubolz, Kaitlin Marie Budd, Kaitlin Mary Burke, Robert Jonathan Buxton, Emily Diane Caccia, Christopher Scott Callender, Samantha Marie Cantley, Raquel M. Cashmore, Brittany Ann Castellano, Benjamin Ward Cater, Cody James Cerbes, Samantha Eileen Charles, Alexander Ian Chellberg, Jessica L. Chelmecki, Heather Sheridan Hawkins, Natalie C. Chrapla, Tyler Roger Clark, Heather Jeanette Coleman, Ross Louis Comstock, Yesenia Conejo, Brittany Italia Congiusti, Jeremy James Steven Cook, Justin Michael Albert Cook, Michael A. Cook, Eric Marcus Coombs, Taylor Coull, Benjamin Charles Cozzi, Joshua David Cranfill, Carli Ray Curtis, Paige Kimberly Czaplicki, Ryan A. Dahlem, Thomas Hawk Dahlem, Andrew Connor Danna, Lashawna Lashall Davidson, Mitchell Christopher Davis, Brittany Marie Deem, Megan E. Dickes, Mark Brian Doerner, Mariah Katalin Donner, Michael Edward Donner, Andrew J. Dooley, Kristen Elizabeth

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contestants for 'Miss' category

The 2005 Lindenhurst Pageant Applications deadline has been extended to July 22 for the Miss Division, ages 6-

Miss Lindenhurst 2005 will be crowned on August 11th on the main stage at Lindenfest. Miss Lindenfest will represent the community during a variety of civic, social and charity events for Lindenhurst and through out Lake County. Miss Lindenhurst will also represent the Village of Lindenhurst in November for the 2006 Community Queen Pageant, where she will compete against all of the local village queens for the title of the Miss Lake County 2006.

Being a queen is an honor and privilege and gives a young woman an excellent opportunity to serve her community during her rein. This kind of leadership experience makes a unique and strong impression on college applications.

Along with an attractive prize package Miss Lindenhurst will also receive a scholarship to be used towards her education from the Village of Lindenhurst and Raymond Chevrolet.

Applications can be found at the Park District, the library and village hall. If you have any questions call Nancy Keenan-Pageant Director 847-265-7862.

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Pageant needs 3rd annual Thunder Run blasts off 50 boats expected to race

By Kathy Gresey

Staff Reporter

Gentleman, start your engines!

The Northern Illinois Offshore Club (NIOC) in Lake Villa is hosting its third annual Thunder Run-a day of boat racing, prizes, food and fun.

Sign in begins at 9 a.m. July 17 at Joey T's on the Fox, 1202 N. Riverside Drive in McHenry. Racers will pick up their first racing card at the sign in. The entry fee is \$50 per boat.

Tickets for a 50/50 raffle will be available at Joey T's and T-shirts will also be for sale.

Twenty-five boats will start the race at 10:30 a.m. and a second set of boats will take off at

11:15 a.m. All will head north toward Famous Freddie's Roadhouse in Fox Lake, where they will pick up card number two.

Boatpix.com will be taking photographs on the next leg of the trip as racers head toward Fox

Card number three will be waiting at Mueller's Harbor Lights in Antioch; number four at Blarney's Island; and the fifth and final card back at Joey T's.

The total length of the race is about 40 miles. Boats from 25-feet long to 40-feet in length are expected to participate, said Fred Nielsen, organizer. He said as many as 50 boats will participate. Fellow organizer Mike Lovergine said this

year's race should make for a great day. "It's just a run for all the boat guys so we can

get together," said Lovergine. "It's a pretty neat thing.

Cash prizes and trophies will be awarded. A buffet-style dinner will conclude the event.

The NIOC has other boating activities planned for August and October. The group will take part in the Windy City Poker Run, which goes from Waukegan to Milwauke, Aug. 5-7. On the first day of that event boaters will be giving trips to children in the Make a Wish Foundation.

On Oct. 1 the River Shiver race will take place. About 50 boats usually enter that race, said Lovergine.

For more information on the NIOC visit www.nioffshore.com.

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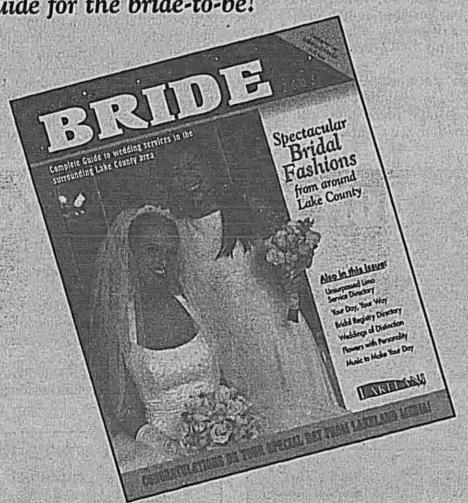
(Above) Five-year-old Kristina Bell tosses a ball for her partner to catch during a pee wee baseball camp given by Sports 'R Us at Fox Lake's Lakefront Park. (Right) Abigail Richter, 5, keeps her eye on the ball as Sports-R-Us instructor Sharon Harrison looks on during a camp for kids at Fox Lake's Lakefront Park.



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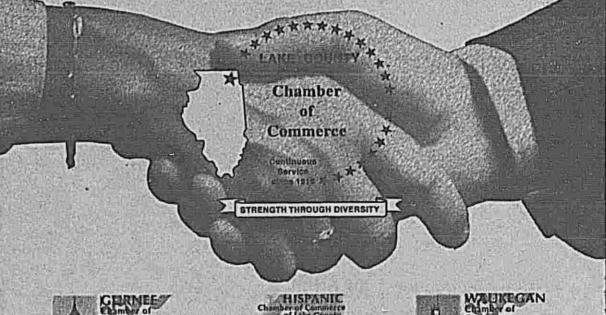
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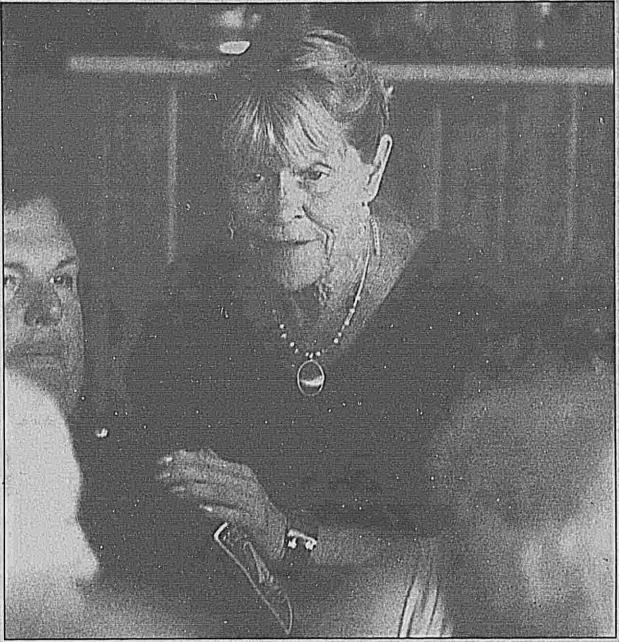


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Fox Lake Mayor Cindy Irwin talks with members of the Fox Lake Chamber of Commerce and Industry, including Lt. Rich Becmer of the Fox Lake Police Department, during the chamber's luncheon at El Puerto in Fox Lake.

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United Methodist Vacation Bible School

Antioch United Methodist Church is pleased to announce Circle G Vacation Bible School to be held July 18 through July 22nd, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. We excited, and we are inviting all ranch hands to come on down to church for five evening of storytelling, puppetry, music, craft games and of course, snacks! Contact our youth pastor, Rev. Patricia Allen-Stewart for more information or to volunteer by calling our church office at 847 395 1259.

Antioch Library Friends Antique Appraisal

The Antioch Library Friends, Wednesday, August 10, 2005, will offer the fifth annual appraisal fundraiser at noon at the Colony House, Highway JF, in Trevor Wisconsin. Karl Gates certified appraiser, will be present and will welcome a wide variety of antiques, jewelry, china, glassware, paintings, etc., to be valued. Each registered guest may bring one item for a free appraisal. Seating is limited and tickets will not be available at the door. Reservations deadline is August 3, 2005. Check in time will begin at 11:30 am. Per person cost of \$20.00 for Friends members and \$25.00 for non-members. There will be a 50%/25%/25% Raffle and we will once again have a Silent Auction. Lunch will be included.

To register, pick up the reservation for at the Library and mail to: Antioch Library Friends, 757 Main Street, Antioch, IL 60002. For more information contact Carol Sutton, 847-395-2317 or Marlene Zimmerman, 847-838-3426.

Congregation Am Echod

Congregation Am Echod (Reform) 2945 Falling Waters Boulevard, Lindenhurst. Service Schedule:

Congregation Am Echod (Reform) 2945 Falling Waters Boulevard, Lindenhurst. Shabbat Service Schedule: Friday, July 15, 7:30 pm Shabbat Service and discussion "I am Jewish". Anniversaries for the month of July will be celebrated. Saturday, July 16, Torah Study at 9 a.m. Shabbat Services at 10 a.m. For questions or information please call 847-265-1818 or e-mail amechod@sbcglobal.net

Congregation Am Echod (Reform) 2945. Falling Waters Boulevard, Lindenhurst.

Shabbat Service Schedule. Friday, July 22, Tot Shabbat from 6:30 to 7 p.m. for children 1 to 8 years old with Parents. This service includes prayers, songs, stories and a hands-on Shabbat experience. Older children in the families are welcome.

Shir L'Shabbat service at 7:30 p.m. Guest speaker Rabbi Michael Klein-Katz, from Jerusalem, on the topic "The Dignity of Difference."

Saturday, June 18, Torah Study at 9 a.m.. Shabbat Services at 10 a.m.

Congregation Am Echod (Reform) 2945 Falling Waters Boulevard, Lindenhurst.

Shabbat Service Schedule: Friday, July 29 at 7:30 pm Shabbat Service. Israeli Dancing will take place after the Oneg, led by Laura Schwartz Harari.



Saturday, July 30: Torah Study at 9 a.m. Shabbat Services at 10 a.m.

For questions or information please call 847-265-1818 or e-mail amechod@sbcglobal.net

Beautiful Savior Vacation Bible School

The members of Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church in Antioch will be conducting their Vacation Bible School from Sunday July 24 to Thursday July 28. The theme of the Vacation Bible School will be "Construction Zone: Building Character like Jesus" as they study God's power to create and develop within us such characteristics as humility, obedience, faithfulness, compassion, and the capacity to forgive others. The sessions will be conducted on the congregation's property on Deep Lake Rd. (where they are presently constructing a church), one-third mile south of the intersections of Hwy. 173 and Deep Lake Rd. Each evening the sessions will begin with a fellowship meal from 6:00pm to 6:30p.m. followed by puppet shows, Bible study, crafts, and singing. Everyone is invited to attend. This VBS is intended for people of all ages. Pre-registration would be appreciated. Please call Carolyn Sehmer at 847-265-6824 or Pastor Gruen at 847-265-

Coming Events

A lot of summer fun yet to come. Look forward to Antioch's Taste of Summer coming up from July 19 to 24. The Antioch Fine Arts Foundation will offer their first art fair, "Art on the Lawn," on July 31.

There is also a special event for those interested in antiques on Aug. 10. It will take place in Trevor, Wis., and reservations are a must, but each registered guest can have one antique item appraised for free. This is sponsored by the Antioch Library Friends and more information is available by calling 847-395-2317 or 847-838-3426. More details will follow.

LAKE VILLA AND LINDENHURST

Vacation Bible School

All children ages 4 to 12 are invited to a free Vacation Bible School on August 1 to 5 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Good News Clues will be a week packed with fun, crafts and games, all centered around finding New Life in Jesus

Linden Villa Bible Church is at 38869 N. Deep Lake Road, Lake Villa. Call 847-356-1031 or visit www.lindenvillabaptist.us for more information.

Clue tournament

The Lake Villa District Library Foundation has announced that the proceeds from its first-ever Clue tournament to be held on October 29 will be used to fund a new Library Literacy Program for Schools in Lake Villa Township.

"With funding for school libraries being reduced in many of the school districts in Lake Villa Township, the Foundation Board felt it was important that we have funding in place at the library to provide necessary services for the schools," according to Foundation Treasurer James Daly.

The Clue tournament has been revamped so the entire tournament and a larger silent auction event can be conducted. The event has been moved to the Tir Na Nog estate on Deep Lake Road in Lake Villa. The tournament hopes to increase the number of sponsors, increase the number of auction items and sign up 216 amateur detectives,

This Clue game tournament is the first tournament of its kind to help raise funds for a charitable cause.



EGHBORS

Amy Hunter of Antioch



I'm originally from: White Bear Lake, Minn.

Wy family and pets: Michael and two kids Zach and Caleb

Occupation:

Dance instructor/owner of Antioch Dance Academy

What I like most about my town: The ice cream and pizza places

> **Hobbies:** Hiking

Favorite Movie: "Flashdance" and "Miss Congeniality"

> **Favorite CD or artist:** Jerry Lee Lewis

Favorite sports: Chicago Bulls, Chicago Bears an Chicago Cubs

Best local restaurant: Angie's Pasta - main street sandwiches

Favorite home-cooked meal: Turkey dinner

Person I admire most: My mom and dad

If I had \$1 million, I would: Build a church (Beautiful Savior, put AC in the studio, and a swimming pool

If I had a plane ticket to anywhere, I'd go to: New York

People who knew as a kid would say: I was short

If I had one wish it would be: World peace - literally

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BIRTHS

August Jackson Williams, a son, was born May 8 at Centegra Memorial Medical Center in Woodstock to Jack and Deborah Williams of Genoa City, Wis. His siblings are Jacob 8 and Hannah 6. Grandparents are Harry and Patricia Schroeder of Woodstock, Karen Williams and Mike Ballard of Grayslake and David and Judi Williams of Oakdale, Calif.

Riley Brooke, a daughter, was born July 1 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Ryan Kane and Chasity Sanders of Antioch. Her sister is Kaitlyn Kane, age 20 months. Grandparents are Melissa Sanders-Rivera and Juan Sanders-Rivera of Antioch; Linda Kane of Gurnee and Bob Kane of Kenosha, Wis. Great grandparents are Carmen and Larry Wilcox of Gurnee and Betty and Robert Kane Sr. of Ocala, Fla.

Jamie Gayle Levie, a daughter, was born June 30 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Heidi Levie-Ferris of Antioch. Grandparents are Jay and Roberta Levie of Buffalo Grove.

Emma Nilesh Patel, a daughter, was born July 1 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Nilesh and Shaili Patel of Antioch. Grandparents are Madhusudan and Kailash Patel of Antioch and Krupesh and Pratima Patel of Antioch.

Jonathan Hernandez Aquilar, a son, was born June 29 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Maria Elena Aguilar and Juan Hernandez of Antioch. His sister is Melissa Hernandez, age 2. Grandparents are Tomas Aguilar, Rosa Castillo, Juan Hernandez and Carmela Robles, all of Mexico.

Mykenzi Carolyn Strohman, a daughter, was born July 1 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Stephanie Reece and Kenneth Strohman Jr. of Antioch. Her siblings are Tyler Duncan 13, Kenneth Strohman III 9, Jared Strohman 6, Aimee Marin 15 and Victoria Marin 13. Grandparents are Mary Reece of Round Lake Beach and Kenneth Strohman Sr. of Coventry, RI.

Allison Hope and Caroline Grace Woolard, twins were born June 22 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Hank and Betsy Woolard of Antioch. Their brothers are Josh 15, Tyler 14 and Connor 4. Grandparents are Bill and Kathy Ehmig of South Carolina; Lou Wollard of Lindenhurst. Great grandparent is Gladys Roscoe of Fort Pierce, Fla.

Cassandra Elizabeth Lorraine Buller, a daughter, was born July 9, at Lake Forest Hospital to Valerie Lynn Buller of Antioch. Her brother is David age 6. Grandparents are Lawrence and Cheryl Buller of Gurnee. Great grandparents are Merrill and Lorraine Hansen of Arlington Heights.

Critters to make daytime appearance

The Milwaukee Zoological Society will present a program on animals of the night on

The program will take place at 2 p.m. at Johnsburg Public Library, located at 3000 N. Johnsburg Road.

It is for ages 5 and up, children under 8 need to be accompanied by a caregiver. Audience members will have a chance to view live nocturnal animals such as the Eurasian eagle owl, Spectacled owl, European and American barn owls, Northern pygmy owl, Tiger salamander, Walking stick, frog, Blood python and a mammal.

Milwaukee Zoological Society is sponsored by Pick 'n Save shopping centers.

For more information on the program, call 815-344-0077 www.johnsburglibrary.org.

Also at the library, Bubblemania appears on July 22, from 1 to 2 p.m. This program is free of charge and open to kids ages 6 to 14. Space is limited and registration is required.

CALENDAR

Friday, July 15

6:30-8:30 p.m., Circle G Vacation Bible School at Antioch United Methodist Church, Mon.-Fri. July 18-22. Please call Youth Pastor Rev. Patricia Allen-Stewart at 847-395-1259 for more information.

8 p.m., "The Nerd," July 22-Aug. 7 Fri., presented by PM&L Theatre at 877 N. Main St. For tickets/times call 847-395-3055 or go to www.pmltheatre.com.

Saturday, July 16

10 a.m.-noon, "Irish Immigration Paths Into and Through North America," British Interest Group of Wisconsin and Illinois meets at Grace Lutheran Church, 6000 Broadway St., Richmond. Please contact Peggy Rockwell Gleich at 608-752-8816 or go to www.rootsweb.com/-wiilbig/ to learn more.

1 p.m., Lake Co. Doll Collectors meet third Saturdays at Millburn Congregational Church, Rt. 45 and Grass Lake Rd. Call 847-623-2072 for details.

Sunday, July 17

7-9 p.m., Open gym Sundays at Antioch Community High School. \$2. Adults only.

Monday, July 18

7:30 p.m., Antioch Village Board meets third Mondays at Village Hall, 874 Main St.

7:30 p.m., Antioch Coin Club meets third Mondays at the library, 757 Main St. Open to the public. Contact JoAnne at 847-395-4738 for more details.

12:45 p.m., Bingo held Mondays at the Senior Center. Call 847-395-7120 for details.

Community support group or women who are dealing with abuse in their homes meets Mondays in Antioch. All are welcome. No fees. Call A Safe Place at 847-249-4450 or 847-249-6557 (TTY) or go to asafeplaceforhelp.org for more information.

7-9 p.m., Lakes Area Community Band rehearses Mondays at ACHS. Call Debbie Davis at 847-395-0272 to learn more.

Tuesday, July 19

7 p.m., Grass Lake Dist: #36 School Board meeting,

Noon, Kiwanis Club of Antioch meets Tuesdays at Bacchus Restaurant. Please call Melissa at 847-489-8044 or e-mail her at mjrigoni@hotmail.com.

6:45 p.m., Bingo Tuesdays, Antioch VFW. Doors open 4:30 p.m. Call 847-395-5393 for information. 7:30 p.m., Chain O'Lakes Model A Ford Club meets third Tuesdays at Lake Villa City Park, Fairfield & Grand Ave. (lower level). Everyone welcome.

7 p.m., Sierra Club of Lake County meets in Mundelein. Please call Evan Craig at 847-680-6437.

Wednesday, July 20

4-6 p.m., Lake Co. Community Health Partnership Immunization Clinic held third Wednesdays at VFW Post 4551, 75 North Ave. Call 847-377-8470 for details.

7 p.m., Village of Antioch Park Board meets third Wednesdays at the Municipal Bldg., 874 Main St. Call 395-1000 to confirm.

7 p.m., Burlington Genealogical Society meets third Wednesdays at the Public Library, Pine and Jefferson St. Call Marion at 414-763-6981 or Merilyn at 414-728-2225 to learn more.

7:30 p.m., The Republican Club meets third Wednesdays at Township Hall. Call 847-395-1670 for more information.

4-6 p.m., Low-cost immunizations of all types offered third Wednesdays by Lake Co. Health Department at Antioch VFW Post #4451, 75 North Ave. Call Health Dept. at 847-360-6761.

6:30 p.m., Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets Wednesdays, weigh-in, 7 p.m. meeting at the Senior Center, 817 Holbeck Dr. Call Dorothy Stark at 847-395-7407 or Betty Muller at 847-838-3907 for more information. .

7-9 p.m., The Shutterbugs photography club meets third Wednesdays at Volo Bog State Natural Area. Ages 16 to adult welcome. Workshops, guest speakers and competitions. Call 815-344-1294 for additional information.

Thursday, July 21

7:30 p.m., Antioch Community High School Board

7:15 a.m., Business Network International meets in Grayslake. Call Craig Henderson at 847-840-6464.

Friday, July 22

7 p.m., "A Way Out," an AA group for gays, lesbians and straights, meets in Libertyville. Call (email) Linda West 847 735-1230 (Lcwest1@yahoo.com).

Saturday, July 23

8 a.m.-2:30 p.m., SWALCO Household Chemical Waste Collection in Gurnee. Please call 847-336-9340 or go to www.swalco.org for information about acceptable items and future local collections.



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13-U Antioch Rebels win tourney in lowa

Last months, the 13-U Antioch Rebels competed in the Harley Steel Tournament against eight other teams and managed a first-place finish. The first game proved to be exciting when trailing by two runs in the last inning, the Rebels came back with a two-run double by Derek Jordan and a game-winning single by Tyler Volling. D.J. Snelten had an outstanding performance on the mound with two runs allowed in four innings.

The second game came easier with a complete-game effort by Kris Nordby on the mound as the Rebels won 8-2. The Rebels were led at the plate by Nate Coutteau and Tyler Volling, who had two big hits apiece.

Sunday proved to be a nail-biter when in the first game the Rebels jumped out to a 4-0 lead on RBI singles by Jeremy Wiker, Wills Massie, Tyler Volling and Nick Battalini. Things became interesting when the other team scored three runs but was held off by a great throw by Nick Battalini from the outfield and an outstanding tag by catcher Jeremy Wiker, which preserved a 4-3 lead.

The Rebels were led by pitcher Kevin Smiley, who pitched five innings and gave up only three runs. The championship game began with temperatures in the high 90's as Tyler Volling started the game on the mound for the Rebels.

Tyler threw well, pitching three innings while giving up only one earned run. The Rebels trailed 4-2 in the sixth inning when consecutive hits by Nate Coutteau and Chris Terzic and two more walks by Wills Massie and

Phil Cappitelli brought the score to 4-3.

The Rebels had the bases loaded and were down by a run when Snelton came through with a two-out, two-run go-ahead single and put the Rebels ahead 5-4.

The Rebels were coached by Rob Nordby, Don Snelten, Rick Battalini, and Wim Massie. Coach Tom Casey and player Brennan Casey were not present at the tournament.

Lake Villa Falcons win Wind Lake Tourney

The Lake Villa Falcons 10-U baseball team won their third tournament championship of the 2005 season this past weekend, after sweeping four games during the 10th annual Wind Lake, Wis. Youth Baseball Tournament. Coach Wade Vanderwall attributed the accomplishment to great pitching, sterling defense, timely hitting, and good base running by the 10-year olds.

The Falcons soundly defeated the Roscoe (Ill.) Hurricanes 13-2 in the opening round on Friday behind a strong pitching effort by Jake Bathery and Duncan Amrein. Bathery chipped in with three RBI, and leadoff man Brent Spohr added three hits. The highlight of the game was a solo homerun by Jake Ring. The next round featured the Falcons playing a pesky team from Lakeland, Wis., and winning 10-5. The Falcons held the lead 5-2 going into the fourth inning after a solid pitching effort by Matt Beranek.

During the fourth, Nick Harma hit a massive three-run-homer, scoring Ryan Ong, and Ring ahead of him, which put the game out of reach. This was Harma's second hit of the game. An



The 13-U Antioch Rebels celebrate their title in a tournament in Iowa last month.

effective relief effort by Amrein, Ong, and Kyle Vanderwall shut the door on Lakeland.

In the semifinals, the Falcons faced a strong defensive team, the Glendale Storm. The Falcons came out on top 9–0, with Bathery, Beranek and Vanderwall combining for a three-hit shutout. This effort was aided greatly by strong defensive play in the field by Spohr, Matt Hoffman, Adam Gomski, and Andrew Yonke. The Falcons pulled away with five runs in the fourth, featuring a run scoring triple by Ring who later stole home, catching the Storm and a large crowd by surprise.

The Falcons remained relentless in their pursuit of the championship despite good defensive play by Glendale. Good pitching and defense was again the key to the Falcons victory, with right fielder, Tim Serio making a lunging grab off the right field line on the opening pitch of the game.

Timely hitting by Bathery, Gomski, and Yonke, and a late inning triple by Serio and RBI single by Hoffman proved to be too much for Glendale, and allowed the Falcons to coast to a 10-1 victory and another championship.

Antioch 12-U softball All-Stars take district title

The Antioch 12-year-old-girls softball all-star team defeated the Mundelein all-stars in the Lake County district finals 2-0 in a best-of-three

series, to capture the little league district champi-

In the opener, Antioch won 13-3 behind Michelle Schlung's complete-game pitching gem. She gave up only two hits and struck out 12. In the second game, Antioch won a nail-biting thriller 21-20.

With two outs and nobody on in the bottom of the sixth inning, Mundelein scored seven runs and had the tying and winning runs in scoring position before getting the final out. In a gutsy pitching performance, Cara Lamusga went the distance in the pressure packed game.

Offensively, every team member had at least one hit. In this high-scoring affair, stellar defensive plays by Allison Mathias, Alexandra Laine and Amber Dalgaard highlighted the victory. Hardworking Zooey Nunez caught every inning of both games.

The other Antioch all-star members are: Shannon Gillespie, Emily Harrison, Emma Howard, Monica Kirkeeng, Taylor Newby and Jessie Richter.

Antioch is managed by Lori Schlung. Her assistant coaches are Paul Howard, Frances Newby and Tracy Harrison. Antioch now advances to the Illinois Little League sectional championship series in South Elgin.

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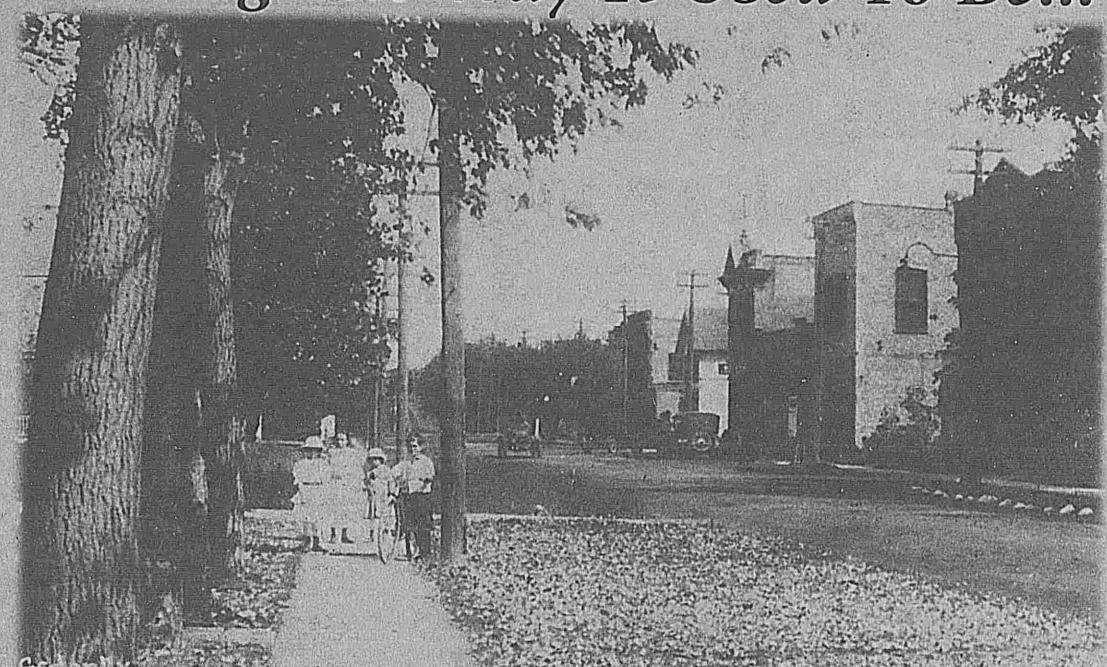
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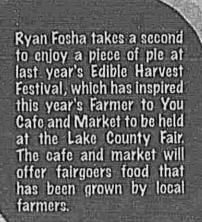
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A talented son honors sining legend Mel Torme

Farmer to You Cafe and Market comes to life



Farming and agriculture is exposed at last year's Edible Harvest Festival. More than 800 people attended that event.

> Childern at last year's Edible Harvest Festival enjoysome tasty corn. Sweet corn is also on the menu at this year's Farmer to You Cafe and Market



Naomi Dulin helps out with registration at the Edible Harvest Fest last October. The Farmer to You Caf and Market hopes to simulate the Edible Harvest Fest at this year's Lake County Fair July 26-31.

Kathy Gresey

ake County residents interested in eating locally grown food are in luck.

The Farmer to You Café and Market is setting up shop at the Lake County Fair this year and will be offering consumers a variety of fresh fruits and vegetables grown by local farmers.

It will be open for six days, July 26-31.

In addition to produce, the stand will also prepare food and drink. Veggie kabobs, pork stir-fry, hamburgers, apple pie and cider are just a few of the products that local farm, ranch and orchard owners intend to offer fairgoers.

'The real objective is to connect the customer to the farmer," said organizer Cheryl Pytlarz. "In that case, everybody benefits. Some people probably never tasted food so fresh."

She said the inspiration for the café and market stemmed rom the incredibly successful Edible Harvest Fest held last October by Liberty Prairie Conservancy.

Pytlarz said the fest went over better than expected.

"We anticipated 400 people and we got 800," she said.
"Everybody came and they could buy these food items. We ran out of food. (We thought) if we could set up a concession stand at the fair we could reach a much greater audience."

The Farmer to You Café and Market will be entirely run by volunteers. Pytlarz said there are 144 hours worth of volunteer shifts, including everything from setting up stands, cooking food and answering questions.

All the proceeds from the café and market will go toward funding this year's Edible Harvest Fest, which is scheduled to take place Oct. 3. Remaining proceeds will help fund the Lake

take place Oct. 2. Remaining proceeds will help fund the Lake County Heritage Farm Foundation, an organization working to establish an interactive heritage farm in the county.

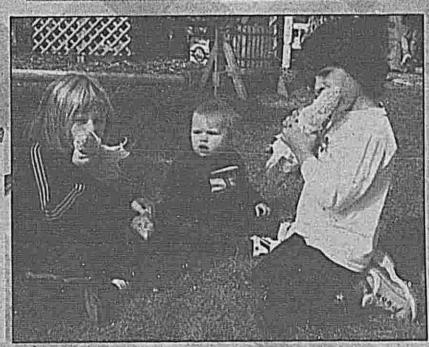
said.

The monetary goal is \$9,000, Pytlarz said.

She said the café and market is great for farmers because it increases their exposure and helps build their customer base.

Farmer Tony Titus provided the veggie kabobs at last year's Edible Harvest Fest and said they were a big hit. "As a farmer it shows you can sell your product locally," he

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A talented son honors singing legend Mel Tormé

By Tom Witom

As a singer, pianist, drummer, composer and arranger, Mel Tormé is a tough act to fol-

But that's not stopping his talented son, Steve March Tormé, who is now presenting "Tormé Sings Tormé," a classy tribute to the life and music of his late father. In a one-hour 45-

Steve March Tormé pays tribute to his late father.

minute show, backed by 10 musicians on stage at the Metropolis Performing Arts Centre, March Tormé time and again demonstrates his affinity for the man he admitted-

ly only got to know during the last decade of his life.

Tormé, who died in August 1996 at the age of 73, was especially at home with the Tin Pan Alley and Broadway standards of the Gershwins, Irving Berlin, Rodgers and Hart and Cole Porter. Early on, he appeared in 20 films and also won an Emmy nomination for a Playhouse 90 role on television in

During his long career, Tormé was known as "The Velvet Fog" and was recognized as a jazz singer. In 1962 "Comin' Home Baby" made it to the Top 40 hit list, though he was more comfortable performing on the nightclub circuit.

genes.

March Tormé was raised from age 2-1/2 by his mother, Candy Tockstein, and stepfather, Hal March, the host of the "\$64,000 Question" quiz show. From an early age he knew singing and performing were in his

On stage, he presents the image of a confident musical artist with a style of his own. His mission isn't to imitate his famous parent but to honor the icon and personalize his

March Tormé opens with a medley that includes "Sweet Georgia Brown" and "On the Street Where You Live." Comfortable with scat, which he uses frequently, the vocalist brings a vibrant, fresh interpretation to the

With black-and-white images projected

And when March Tormé sings "Ruby," we month-old daughter.

as "the Sinatra of his generation." It's clear this amiable, easygoing performer is going places.

story.

familiar lyrics.

Later he reprises his father's best known songs: "Mountain Greenery," "Lulu's Back in Town," "The Christmas Song," among others, and one of his favorite love songs, "The Folks Who Live on the Hill."

on a large overhead screen of the Tormé family, March Tormé tells anecdotes of caring for his elderly paternal grandfather and discusses his relationship with his dad. There's even a brief film clip (unfortunately, the quality is poor) of Mel Tormé and his son performing a

see pictures of his beautiful, wide-eyed 16-

Some critics have dubbed March Tormé



"Tormé Sings Tormé"

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Carrot Top live at the Genesee **Theatre**

Star Productions will present Carrot Top on Oct. 6, at 8 p.m. at the Genesee Theatre. Tickets for this performance are priced at \$57, \$37 and \$27. Tickets can be purchased at the Genesee theatre box Office, all Ticketmaster outlets, charge-byphone at 312-559-1212 or online at www.ticketmaster.com.

Clad in floral vests and tie-dye, looking more like a free spirit hippie than a comedian, the redheaded Carrot Top is at the tiptop of his career. With a degree in marketing, Carrot Top now markets his own brand of humor and inventions, including high heels with training wheels, a boot with a kickstand for drunk cowboys, and a fire hydrant with handles for disabled dogs.

Introducing his props and comedy to his captivated audience with rapid succession, Carrot Top displays an uncanny accuracy for making people laugh in a carnival like atmosphere. Carrot Top's humor also had fans laughing in films like "Dennis the Menace" and "Chairman of the Board."

For more information on Carrot Top, visit his web site at www.carrottop.com.



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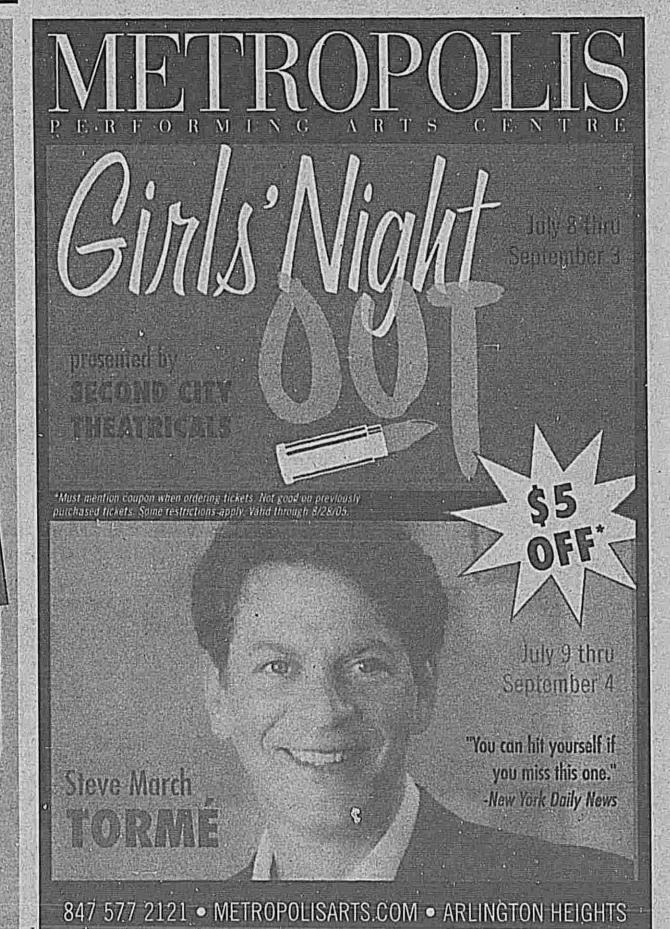
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he Woodstock Mozart Festival's 19 Season opens on Saturday evening, July 30 and continues through Sunday, Aug. 14 at the Woodstock Opera House, Woodstock.

Each weekend features 8 p.m Saturday evening and 3 p.m Sunday afternoon orchestral concerts preceded by artist and conductor introductions which begin one hour before each performance. A 2 p.m Chamber Music Sampler Concert on Saturday afternoon, on Aug. 13, replaces the pre-concert discussions during the third and final weekend of the Festival.

For July 30 and 31, conductor Gregory Vajda will be joined by pianist, Hamish Milne. In keeping with one of the goals of the Festival, to feature composers who influenced Mozart, the program will begin with Carl Philipp Emmanual Bach's Symphony in D Major, Wq. 183, No. 1. This work will be followed by Mozart's 17 Piano Concerto in G Major, K. 453; and by his 31 Symphony in D Major, K.

297(300a), the Paris Symphony. Prokofiev's first Symphony in D Major, Op. 25, the Classical Symphony, ("...a sort of unpublished Mozart..." La Revue de France 1927), will conclude the program.

This season marks the second appearance of conductor Gregory Vajda with the Festival. Originally from Budapest where he was Music Director of the New Theater Budapest and founder of the Arts Summer Festival in Hungary as well as Permanent Guest Conductor of the Hungarian State Opera, Mr. Vajda is now the Assistant Conductor of the Milwaukee Symphony Orchestra. He has appeared as a guest conductor with several orchestras in North America including the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra, Calgary Philharmonic, Oregon Symphony and Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra. He led the Opera de Montreal in Bartok's Bluebeard's Castle and Schoenberg's Erwartung in 2004, and frequently appears with the Ensemble Intercomtemporain in Paris. Past and upcoming festival appearances include those of Avignon, Strassbourg, Round Top in Texas, Mostly Mozart in New York, and Grant Park in

Pianist Hamish Milne has appeared as soloist with most of the leading British orchestras and has given over two hundred broadcasts for the BBC. Overseas engagements in recent years have taken him to Australia, Japan, the US, Africa and several countries of the former Soviet Union. A specialist on the music of the Russian composer Nikolai Medtner, Mr. Milne has documented Medtner's works on nine recordings and has been featured in the Medtner Festivals held in Moscow and at New York's Bargememusic. Currently a member of the Pro Arte Piano Quartet and the Academy of St. Marti n-i nthe-Fields Chamber Ensemble, Mr. Milne is also a professor at the Royal Academy of Music

and at the University of London.
On Aug. 6-7, conductor Christoph
Campestrini will first lead the Festival
orchestra in Schubert's Third Symphony
in D Major, D.200 He will then be
joined by flutist Stefan Hoskuldsson
in Mozart's First Flute Concerto in G
Major, K. 313(285c). Mozart's
Symphony No. 36 in C Major, K.

425, the Linz Symphony will be the program's final selection.

A native of Linz, Austria, conductor Christoph Campestrini has appeared with more than seventy orchestras on five continents. He has been the principal conductor of the Aalto Music Theatre in Essen, Germany and Conductor in Residence of the Carinthian Summer Festival. He is also a frequent guest conductor of the Mozarteum Orchestra in Salzburg, Recent appearances in North America include engagements in California, Texas and with the National Arts Center Orchestra, Washingon, D.C.. Upcoming European tours include those with the Biel Symphony Orchestra in Switzerland and with the Dubrovnik Symphony Orchestra in Croatia. Other guest appearances will be with the Slovak Philharmonic, Czech State Philharmonic and at the Spilberk Festival as well as in Linz Bruckner Hall

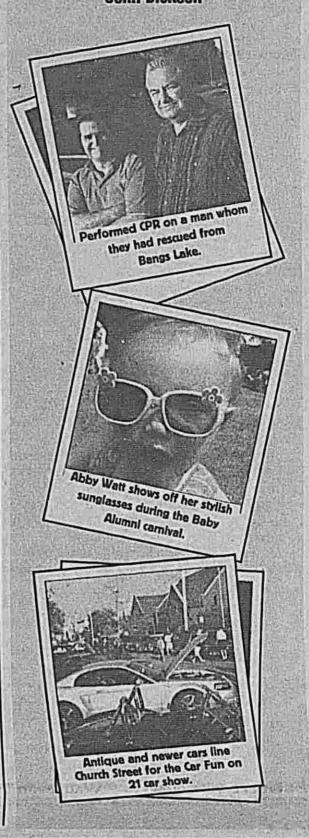
Flutist Stefan Hoskuldsson, originally from Iceland, is the second flutist of the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, New York. Mr. 1-16skuldson's career as a solo flutist has taken him to major venues around Europe and the US including the Berwood Concert Hall in Stockholm, Tivoli Gardens in Copenhagen, Purcell Room in London; and in New York, Merkin Hall, the Kaufman Culture Center - 92 Street Y, and the Victor Borge Hall. His engagements also have included performances at the Guiting and Aldeburgh festivals and the Shaw Library Concert Series in London. In New York he performed at the Summit Music Festival with the Tokyo String Quartet, and on New Years Eve 2004, at Brooklyn's Bargemusic.

Mozart Festival series subscriptions for all three evening or Sunday afternoon concerts are available through the Woodstock Opera House Box office at \$96 or \$120. Single tickets are \$42, \$34, and \$20. Tickets for the 2 p.m.. Saturday, August 13 Chamber Music Sampler Concert are \$20 (\$18 for Mozart Festival subscribers), and \$30 for a family of any size. Discounts are available for group reservations on Sunday afternoons and for the Saturday, Aug. 13 afternoon Chamber Music Sampler Concert.

Orders for all tickets may be made with Visa and Mastercard by calling 815-338-5300 or by writing to the Woodstock Opera House, 121 Van Buren Street, Woodstock, Illinois 60098.

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The Loony Days of Summer

elp Dr. Singer!
Maybe I didn't get it right.
L'akeland reader "E.F."
wrote to your Heathwatch column in this newspaper recently complaining about his wife over scheduling their kids during the summer, "I was one of those kids who had lazy summer days catching frogs and hanging out and I think I was and am better off for it."

You responded in your advice column, "Parent's Place," with, "The best of all worlds is if a parent or parents can be there to supervise to let the kids just be, in a limited

amount of space."

I took your advice. Now I wish I'd called in the

National Guard to supervise my emancipated minors within the confines of appropriate terrain, like the Lincoln Park Zoo Great Apes Exhibit.

Leslie Clazier-Werner

LES ON

LIFE

Don't get me wrong. I'm all for letting my kids explore, create, and discover their interests through free play, but only if I'm heavily sedated.

Take for example yesterday. My son

gathered quite a crowd of kids to protest Senator Dick Durbin's strident criticism of military interrogation tactics. At least it sure looked like Durbin on top of the pile of GI Joe "casualties" my son was about to run over with the push mower.

That was just before my daughter's hamster, "Peanut," drove by me in Barbie's remote controlled toy convertible while Ken casually looked on from the back seat. Luckily "BoBo" the dog wasn't fast enough to stop traffic, but our cat almost had lunch at the drive through.

So I've decided to put my foot down—carefully—and schedule some structured kids activities of my own. I just hope my free spirits don't put their own creative twist on my efforts, like:

Distributing their own newspaper, "The Holler" scooping the neighborhood gossip on old Mrs. Coot's passion for Victoria's Secret

•Putting on a puppet show using dialogue

from mom and dad's argument the night before.

•Setting up a lemonade stand stocked with

 dad's Margarita mix.
 Going door-to-door selling origami animals made from their folk's bank statements.

 Honing their tracking skills after mom runs across their pet snake...and they both disappear into a patch of poison ivy.

•Playing dress up in mom's plus size underwear with "the same old thong" emblazoned on the backside.

•Starting an ant farm in the living room terrarium.

•Building a tree fort overlooking the single neighbor's hot tub.

Yes Dr. Singer, kids should be given the chance to enjoy down time, especially after

an action packed school year. Just let me add one qualifier "Don't try this at home!"

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COOKING BY THE BOOK

Aidells Sausage Co. and author of nine other cookbooks knows his meat. In his latest book he provides a master class. There's a short history of pork, anecdotes from his past as chef and "Sausage King" and some 160 recipes designed for home cooks.

Aidells's book goes from buying pork to light meals and starters, then moves on to main courses: chops and steaks, cutlets and medallions, kebabs, roasts and ham. He winds up with a discussion on preserving pork at home.

We enjoyed his easy-to-prepare Baked Buttermilk-Brined Pork Chops, The seasoning guarantees a good flavor and the brining process helps keep the meat moist. You won't need to add salt to the finished product.



1. To brine the pork chops: Pour the butter-

milk into a plastic container or stainless steel

bowl and stir in the salt until completely dis-

solved. Add the lemon zest, rosemary and

sage. Add the pork chops, making sure they

are completely immersed in the brine. Cover

2. Preheat the oven to 400 degrees F.

rinse off the buttermilk. Pat dry, season gen-

erously with the black pepper and dredge each chop in the flour, shaking to remove the

enough to hold all the chops, heat the oil over

medium-high heat. Put the chops in the pan

and cook for 2 to 3 minutes or until nicely

browned. Turn and cook 3 minutes more.

Transfer the skillet to the oven and bake the

chops for about 15 minutes or until they are

firm to the touch or register 145 degrees F on

an instant-read thermometer inserted into

3. Remove the chops from the brine and

4. In a nonstick ovenproof skillet large

Buttermilk Brine: 3 cups buttermilk 2/3 cup kosher salt 1 Tbl. lemon zest 2 tsp. chopped fresh

and refrigerate for 3 to 4 hours.

excess. Set the chops aside.

rosemary

2 tsp. chopped fresh sage or 1 tsp. dried 4 T-bone or rib pork chops (each 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 in. thick and 8 to 12

2 tsp. freshly ground black pepper Flour for coating 3 Tbl. olive oil, melted lard or bacon drippings

the middle of a chop.

5. Remove the chops to a platter and let rest for 5 minutes before serving. Serve as is or with chutney.

Chef's notes: Instead of baking these buttermilk-brined chops, grill them. Omit the rinsing and flour dredging steps and grill over a medium-hot fire until nicely colored. Use chops that are at least 1 1/4 inches thick for the best results.

The buttermilk brine is also excellent for a 3-pound boneless pork loin roast, which will need an overnight soak. The next day, remove the loin, rinse it, and bake it to an internal temperature of 140 to 145 degrees F, about 45 minutes. Let rest for 10 minutes before slicing and serving. Pork loin roast can also be seasoned with black pepper and fresh herbs (dill is particularly good) after it is rinsed.

(Serves 4)

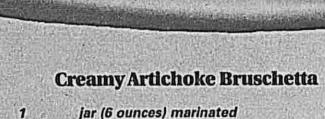


cup Hellmann's or Best Foods Real Mayonnaise tablespoons Hellmann's Deli Mustard green onions, chopped tablespoon honey teaspoon apple cider vinegar 1/8 teaspoon ground black pepper Pinch salt salmon fillets or steaks (about 1 pound)

1. In medium bowl, combine all ingredients except salmon. Reserve 1/3 of mayonnaise mixture.

2. Grill or broil salmon, brushing with remaining mayonnaise mixture, until salmon flakes with a fork, turning once. Serve salmon with reserved mayonnaise mixture and garnish, if desired, with additional chopped green onions.

Serves 4



artichoke hearts, drained and chopped cup Hellmann's or Best 1/4 Foods Real Mayonnaise cup finely chopped drained sun-dried tomatoes packed

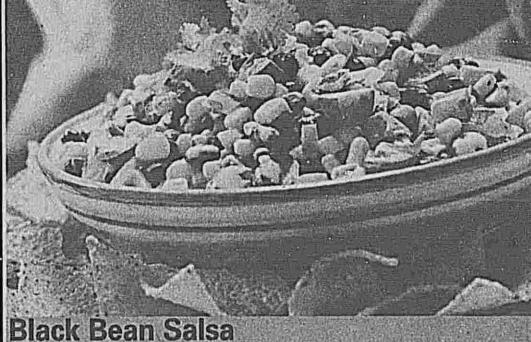
tablespoon grated Parmesan cheese loaf Italian or French bread

(about 15 inches long), cut into 1/2-inch slices and toasted

1. In small bowl, combine all ingredients except bread. Evenly spread artichoke mixture on toasted bread. Broil 1 minute or until golden. Serve immediately.

Makes 20 appetizers





1/4 cup Hellmann's or Best Foods Mayonnaise with Lime Juice cup crema mexicana or

heavy cream teaspoons white vinegar teaspoon ground cumin 1/2 teaspoon salt

teaspoon ground black pepper can (19 ounces) black beans, rinsed and drained can (11 ounces) whole kernel corn, drained

cup quartered cherry

1/2

tomatoes cup chopped red onion tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro

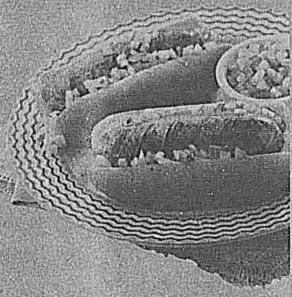
1/2 to 1 teaspoon hot pepper sauce (optional) Tortilla chips

1. In medium bowl, combine mayon-naise, crema mexicana, vinegar, cumin, salt and pepper. Add remaining ingredients except chips and toss to coat. Refrigerate until ready to serve. Serve, if desired, with lime wedges and chips.

Serves 4



A twist on cookout season



Grilled greek turkey sausage with cucumber salsa

package Honeysuckle White or Shady Brook Farms Hot or Sweet Italian Turkey Sausage buns (6 inches each), split lengthwise

Cucumber Salsa:

large cucumber, peeled, seeded and diced cup sliced green onions tablespoons fresh thyme or teaspoons dried thyme

1-1/2 tablespoons apple cider vinegar 1-1/2 teaspoons sugar

teaspoon salt

In small bowl, combine cucumber, onion, thyme, vinegar, sugar and salt. Cover and refrig-

Grill sausages 4 to 5 minutes per side, until internal temperature reaches 170°F. To serve, place sausages in buns and top each with 1/4

Makes 5 to 6 servings

Grilled marinated turkey breast tenderloins with mango salsa

package Honeysuckle White or Shady Brook Farms Lemon Garlic Turkey Breast Tenderloins

Mango Salsa:

ripe mango, peeled, cored

and diced medium tomato, seeded

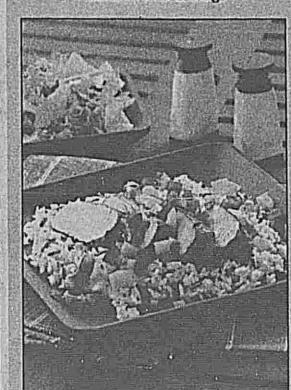
and diced cup finely chopped red onion cup diced green bell pepper tablespoons finely 1/2

chopped mint 1/4 tablespoon salt

In medium bowl, combine mango, tomato, onion, bell pepper, mint and salt. Cover and refrigerate until serving.
Grill tenderloins approximately 20 to 30 min-

utes, turning every 5 minutes or until internal temperature reaches 165°F. To serve, slice tenderloins and top with mango salsa.

Makes 6 to 8 servings



Fashion

Bagging style, organization to lighten the load for any were you go

There's a new way to get a slimmer summer look without counting a single calorie. What's the secret? Shed those "tech" pounds weighing you down.

In our ever-connected, on-the-go lifestyle, even the most stylish woman can look like a techno-geek carrying a laptop, a PDA and a cell phone if she's not armed with the right gear to carry her tech. According to fashion editor and style commentator Mary Alice Stephenson, being "highly functional" and "highly fashionable" have been at odds-until now. She believes technology makers have finally gotten the message: women want to be connected without sacrificing style.

Stephenson, a contributing fashion editor for Harper's Bazaar magazine and fashion consultant to PC chipmaker Intel(r) Corporation, says you shouldn't let your personal style be weighed down by unnecessary tech baggage. She believes lightening your load and being fashionable starts with the lapton.

"Carrying a heavy, bulky laptop in a big padded bag can make you feel and look weighed down," Stephenson says. "Today's fashion-forward women are ready to banish the bulk," an attitude confirmed by a recent Harris Interactive(r) survey in which nearly 80 percent of women said their ideal laptop would let them carry less weight. With the new generation of smaller, more powerful laptop PCs that have recently come to the market, now women who want to stay connected without sacrificing style have more options than ever to choose from. By swapping a traditional laptop for a thinner, lighter system, women can instantly shed up to five neck-straining, shoulder-tugging pounds. As a result, the black bulky laptop bag and the extra pounds it adds can be cast aside for a fabulous bag created by designers inspired by the trimmer, slimmer laptops.

For those who want a full fashion and



(Left) A bag that is messy is a definite no. (Right) You will want to step outside with this organized bag.

technology transformation, Stephenson offers four tips that can not only lighten your load, but also brighten your mood this season:

• Be Light: Swinging a handbag over one shoulder and hauling a heavy laptop bag over the other is a fashion faux pas. When it's time to turn in your old laptop for a shapelier model, look for a PC based on Intel(r) Centrino(r) mobile technology. It can weigh several pounds less than other systems. When shopping, take along your favorite handbag or tote to see if a new skinny system will fit comfortably inside. Once you have a smaller laptop, consolidate all your technology devices into one bag. The Toshiba Portege(r) R100 or the Panasonic Toughbook eLite, which is not only light, but comes in high impact colors like white, red, silver and black, are just a couple of sleek options for women.

 Be Bright: Add a splash of color to upgrade your tech style. Put away your black winter tote bag and carry your laptop in one of this season's bright "it" colors turquoise, pink or sun-kissed orange. Retailers from Coach to Target offer a wide range of affordable options that come with multiple compartments to house all your devices for easy access. If you prefer to shop online, www.kolobags.com offers a well priced selection of stylish bags, from backpacks to briefcases.

Be Free: Take advantage of the growing number of Wi-Fi "hotspots" to connect to the Internet without the hassle of wires. Check out local cafés, airports, and parks in your neighborhood for cool places where you and your laptop can be seen surfing together in public. Log onto http://intel.jiwire.com to look up local "hotspots" by city or zip code.

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• Be Dazzling: Add a little couture to your life without breaking the bank. Clip a Chanel charm on your cell phone or invest in some stylish tech jewelry, which is quickly becoming available from a variety of designers. You might also consider dressing up your tech with accessories from www.laloop.com that allow you to wear your phone fashionably around your neck.

Tips for a safe summer tan

Before applying a self-tanner, consider these tips from Lynn Fischer, lead beauty therapist and trainer at Clarins, an industry leader in self-tanning.

 You can extend the life of your tan by showering and exfoliating prior to application.

2. Remember to work the self-tanner into areas that the sun naturally hits, such as areas around the eyes, behind your ears and on top of the cartilage, your lips and the bottom of your nostrils.

To avoid staining your palms, you can either wear gloves or wash palms afterwards with a mixture of an exfoliant and cleanser. It's good to get the backs of your hands with a foundation sponge to prevent discoloration.
 Wait a while before getting dressed after

4. Wait a while before getting dressed after applying tanning products to areas that will be covered by clothing.

Tinted self-tanners can stain clothing if they are not thoroughly absorbed.

5. Look for a self-tanner that contains additional ingredients which nurture and protect the skin. For example, the new Liquid Bronze Self Tanner for Face and Décolleté contains vitamin E and aloe vera to protect the skin against harmful free radicals present in the air, It also contains Erythrulose, a new ingredient

which helps to reduce the orange color found in other self-tanners on the market and replaces it with a more natural, golden brown tan. Natural botanical scents such as jasmine and violet have been incorporated to give the user a pleasant scent during and throughout the application process.

This innovative sun product by Clarins, a leader in the self-tanning industry, is easily applied with cotton pads for an instant glow within two hours of application or less.

The right self-tanners can be a great way to get a head start on the season or simply look your.

get a head start on the season or simply look your best during any season.

Choose a self-tanner that delivers realistic results but also nurtures and protects your skin.

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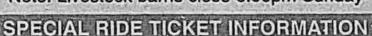
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FAIR SCHEDUL

Tuesday, July 26
Dairy Junior Livestock Show
Poultry/Game Birds Judging (open class)
Opening Ceremony Flag Ralsing
Magic Steve - Center Stage
Mother/Daughter Look-Alike - Theme Stage
Magic Dave - Center Stage
Egg Carry Contest - Theme Area
Popeye & Swee'Pea - Theme Stage
Family Karaoke - Center Stage
Mother/Daughter Look-Alike - Theme Stage
Family Karaoke - Center Stage
Mother/Daughter Look-Alike - Theme Stage
Water Carry Contest - Theme Area
Motocross-Freestyle MX
Monster Truck Demonstration
Dairy Goat Milking

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Culinary Cooking Challenge - Theme Stage
Miss Lake County Fair Pageant
Saturday June Band (music) - Center Stage
Square Dancing Show - Theme Area
Magic Dave - Theme Area

Wednesday, July 27
Dairy Goat Milking Final
4-H Pony and English Horse Show
Judging of all 4-H Club projects
Magic Dave - Center Stage
Judging of Special Youth Livestock Show
Father/Son Putting Challenge - Thema Area
Maric Dave - Center Stage Magic Dave - Center Stage
Egg Carry Contest - Theme Area
Popeye & Swee'Pea - Theme Stage
Youth Show - Rabbits & Goats Judging of Rabbits
Family Karaoke - Center Stage
Water Carry Contest - Theme Area
One Lane Bridge (music) - Center Stage
Father/Son Putting Challenge - Theme Area
Junior Miss Lake County Fair Pageant 4:00

Pro Motocross Races
Monster Truck Demonstration
Square Dancing Show - Theme Area
Saturday June band (music) - Center Stage
Magic Dave - Theme Area

Thursday, July 28
WKRS News 1220-Front Entrance
Judging of Western Horse Show
Judging of Open Class Beel, Swine, Sheep & Goals Judging of Open Class Beef, Swine, Sheep & Goals
Continue judging of Rabbits
Magic Dave - Center Stage
Baby Crawling Contest - Theme Area
Magic Dave - Center Stage
Popeye & Swee'Pea - Theme Stage
Family Karaoke - Center Stage
One Lane Bridge (music) - Center Stage
Demolition Derby
Pro Motocross Races
Little Miss Lake County Feir Pageant

Little Miss Lake County Fair Pageant Hazzard County (music) - Center Stage Magic Dave - Theme Area



Friday, July 29 WKRS News 1220-Front Entrance Special Youth Horse Show Special Youth Horse Show
Dairy Goat Show Judging
Judging Open Class Dairy
Maglc Dave - Center Stage
Sheep - Lead Class - Sale Barn
Egg Carrying Contest - Theme Area
Magic Dave - Center Stage
Kitchen Klangers - Theme Stage
Popeye & Swee'Pea - Theme Stage
Popeye & Swee'Pea - Theme Stage
Family Karaoke - Center Stage
Water Carry Contest - Theme Area
One Lane Bridge (music) - Center Stage
Battle of the Bands - Main Stage
Truck & Tractor Pull 12:00 1:00 1:00 2:00 2:00 3:00 7:00 Truck & Tractor Pull Hazzard County (music) - Center Stage Professional Contest Rodeo Magic Dave - Theme Area 8:00 8:00 8:00

Saturday, July 30
Open Horse Show
Magic Dave - Center Stage
Radio Disney - Theme Area
Registration for Livestock Auction* 12:00 Junior Talent Contest - Main Stage Kids Sack Races - Theme Area
Watermelon Seed Spitting Contest
Maglc Dave - Center Stage
Sale of Livestock Champions
Professional Contest Rodeo
Popeye & Swee'Pea - Theme Stage
Family Karaoke - Center Stage
Yo-Yo Man 2:00 2:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 4:00 5:00 Yo-Yo Contest - Theme Area Battle of the Bands Winner - Center Stage Survival of the Fittest Contest - Theme Area 5:30 5:30 7:00 7:00 7:30 8:00 8:00 8:00 Egg Carrying Contest - Theme Area Senior Talent Contest - Main Stage Hazzard County (music) - Center Stage Professional Contest Rodeo Magic Dave - Theme Area .

Sunday, July 31 Non-Denominational Church Service 10:00 Demolition Derby - All Dayl Magic Dave - Center Stage 12:00 Budweiser Clydesdale Parade Tractor Pulling
Pie Eating Contest - Theme Stage
Adult Talent Contest - Main Stage 1:00 1:00 2:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 4:00 5:00 Kitchen Klangers - Theme Stage
Kitchen Klangers - Theme Stage
Magic Dave - Center Stage
Popeye & Swee'Pea - Theme Stage
Family Karaoke - Center Stage
Egg Toss Contest - Theme Area
Family Relay Race - Theme Area
One Lane Bridge (music) - Center Stage
Livestock released
Water Care Contest - Theme Area Water Carry Contest - Theme Area Exhibits released Magic Dave - Theme Area

*SATURDAY, JULY 30TH Live Animal Auction - 2pm Show your support for the youth of the area. More auction information available at the Fair Office. (847) 223-2204

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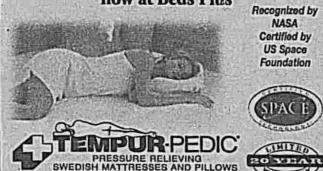
Neurocognitive therapist (pictured right) Donalee Markus Ph.D., and, her daughter, Linsey Paige'Markus. M.A.

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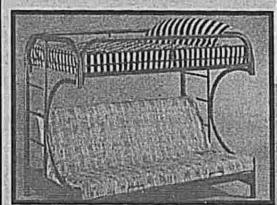


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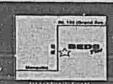
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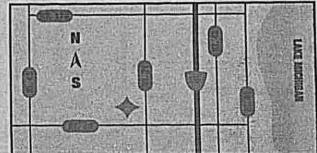
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MOVIE REVIEW KEY

adds a lot of humor to the role.

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the "Fantastic Four" from following

the Marvel comic book series will

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5 = Don't miss this movie!

4 - Wow! I'm impressed

The acting is mediocre, with the exception of Michael Chiklis, from TVs "The Shield," who brings a bit of

the menace of that character to this

dual role as Ben and The Thing. His

3 = Worth seeing but could've been better

2 = Wait until this movie comes out on video

1 = Someone should be fired for making this movie

NEW RELEASES

These films are currently playing at local theaters. An average of six new reviews a week as well as recent releases can be found under Now Playing at

www.reelmoviecritic.com.

opening this week



Charlie and the Chocolate Factory: Charlie Bucket comes from a poor family, and spends most of his time dreaming about the chocolate that he loves but usually can't afford. Things change when Willy Wonka, head of the very popular Wonka Chocolate empire, announces a contest in which five gold tickets have been hidden in chocolate bars and sent throughout the country. The kids who find the tickets will be taken on a tour of Wonka's chocolate factory and get a special glimpse of the wonders within. Lovable Charlie becomes the equivalent of a lucky lottery winner, along with four quite naughty chil-dren. The tour of the factory brings forth many surprises in this charming fantasy

featuring Johnny Depp's chameleon acting abilities. (PG)



Wedding Crashers: Owen Wilson and Vince Vaughn are a pair of committed playboys, who sneak into weddings to freeload on both women and food. They take advantage of the open and welcoming atmosphere and it's been working just as they planned. Things go amiss when Wilson falls for Rachel McAdams. Caring about someone was not in the plan. (R)

still playing

Star Wars: Episode III— Revenge of the Sith (PG-13) Batman Begins (PG-13)

Land of the Dead (R)

Madagascar (PG)

War of the Worlds (PG-13)

Cinderella Man (PG-13)

Heights (R)

The Longest Yard (PG-13)

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We Know (R)

Rize (PG-13)

Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants (PG)

Bewitched (PG-13)

The Honeymooners

Mr. & Mrs. Smith (PG-13) 3.5

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Fundamental alteration

he Fantastic Four are astronauts who come by their supernatural powers, and catchy comic book monikers, after they are exposed to radiation while in outer space, Dr. Reed Richards (Ioan Gruffudd), their brilliant but not quite stalwart leader, becomes Mr. Fantastic when his body develops amazing stretching capability. Sue Storm (Jessica Alba) dematerializes into the Invisible Woman, who sheds her clothes when she wants to push her way through a crowd or run away from groupies (both silly uses of her power). Her younger brother, Johnny Storm (Chris Evans), turns into the Human Torch, his body ablaze as he diverts heat seeking missiles, or creates an instant hot tub in the mountains for him and his snow bunny girlfriend. Michael Chiklis is Ben Grimm who transforms into The Thing, a rock solid mass of boulders in human form, with superhuman strength. His body mass is so dense that he overloads the elevator's weight capacity. Together, these four battle the evil, power hungry Victor Von Doom (Julian McMahon), who gradually morphs into Doctor Doom, an enemy with an electrifying presence.

Reed and his crew of scientists are on a research mission in space, chasing a major cosmic storm that



Fantastic Four

Review by Pam & George O. Singleton at info@reelmoviecritic.com

Cast

Ioan Gruffudd Reed Richards/ Mr. Fantastic Jessica Alba Sue Storm/The Invisible Woman **Michael Childis**

Ben Grimm/The Thing Chris Evans Johnny Storm/The Human Torch Julian McMahon Victor Von Doom/Doctor Doom

Kerry Washington

Alicia Masters

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may unlock the secrets of the human genetic code. The storm arrives hours ahead of when it was expected and Ben is trapped outside the ship. To save him, the hatch is left open a bit too long and they all are exposed to radiation that fundamentally changes their DNA. The egomaniac, Victor Von Doom is on board as well, a departure from the comic book scenario that devotees will recognize. Back on earth, the failure of the space mission causes Vic's company to lose major investors and his stock goes into a free fall. And so emerges Dr. Doom. Victor is in love

with Sue, who now works for him but she's still in love with Reed, in spite of the fact that he is a dork æ her word. Although the enemy seems to be far away at first, it soon becomes clear that Doctor Doom is in mortal combat with the Fantastic Four. The special effects are best executed (pun intended) in the lab with The Thing and Dr. Doom, and by Johnny's high-flying exploits as the Human Torch. But after seeing Mr. Fantastic stretch various parts of his body to save the day on numerous occasionsæa feat that worked better for us in the animat-

ed Oscar winner, "The Incredibles"æ the tone of the film becomes tongue-in-cheek humor. Humor is a good thing, as when Johnny calls Ben "Pebbles," or when Ben pilfers clothes from a Big & Tall store.

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Getaway Weekend in Saugatuck, Michigan, a great destination Lakeside resort town offers fine art and fine dining

By Pam & George Singleton

A few weeks ago we spent a wonderful and entertaining time in Saugatuck, Michigan dur-ing the Waterfront Film Festival. Although the festival doesn't roll around again until June 8-11, 2006, you might want to visit the area in the weeks ahead. You'll have fun this year and when it's time to go the festival next year, you'll know your way around the town.

There are many fun reasons to visit Saugatuck this summer. An easy 2? hour drive from Chicago, Saugatuck, Michigan works for a one-night weekend stay if you leave early Saturday morning and return Sunday evening. A Friday and Saturday night stay is best, of course, as it leaves more time to explore.

Whether leisurely strolling the tree-lined streets, stopping to browse the art galleries or other shops, or sitting in the gazebo in the park or on one of the benches along the lake walk, there's a feeling of relaxation and good times that await you in Saugatuck. With wine tasting at places like Fenn Valley and a variety of dining options, from the causal Billie's Boathouse right by the water and the nearby Beechwood Inn with its signature perch dish for only \$12.99, or more upscale eating, there's something for everyone. Restaurants Toulouse and Everyday People (both feature very reasonable prices for the quality and quantity of food) and Chaps (great but pricey) all offer sophisticated ambiance. Great shops and fine art galleries, featuring paintings, sculpture and hand carvings, are just outside

You can stay in one of the many B&B's in Saugatuck or if a regular motel/hotel is more to your liking, Holland is only 15 minutes away. Marriott's Residence Inn is a great value at about \$100 a night to include a full kitchen and breakfast with scrambled eggs that you'd be proud to serve out of town guests. Not to be missed is Crane's Apple Orchard with its fresh apple pies and very casual food in an old mill

Saugatuck is fine for either a quick romantic getaway or for a family looking for fresh air with the pleasure of being in a waterfront resort town; much like the East Coast. The area boasts uncrowded, sandy beaches, with activities for the kids such as dune buggy rides or if you are feeling really adventurous with the kids, there is nearby camping.

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Watercolor Naturescapes on display at the Lake County Discovery Museum

Nature lovers and watercolor enthusiasts are invited to view the work of local artist Betty R. Drapalik on display at the Lake County Discovery Museum. The exhibit runs through August. View Drapalik's work and enjoy conversation and refreshments with the artist at a special Artist's Reception on Sunday, July 17 from 1:30 to 4 p.m. The reception is free with Museum admission. The Discovery Museum is located on Route 176 just west of Fairfield Road and east of Wauconda in Lakewood Forest Preserve.

Hours for the museum are Sunday, 1 to 4:30 p.m. and Monday through Saturday, 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Admission to the museum is \$6 for adults and \$2.50 for youth ages four to 17. Children three years and under are free. Seniors are \$2.50 after 2 p.m., weekdays. On Discount Tuesdays, admission is \$3 for adults, and youth 17 years and under are free.

For additional information on the upcoming exhibit, contact the Lake County Discovery Museum at 847-968-3400. For more information on the Lake County Forest Preserves and the Lake County Discovery Museum, call 847-367-6640 and request a free copy of Horizons, the quarterly newsletter or visit online at www.LCFPD.org.

"Travelouge for a summer eveing: Antarctica" comes to Gorton

On July 19 at 7:30 p.m., join us at Gorton Community Center at 400 East Illinois Road, Lake Forest for an intriguing lecture on the awesome sights and experiences of Antarctica. The cost for this program is \$15.

So begins one family's unforgettable adventure aboard a small Baltic ferry to Antarctica. In their soon-to-be published book, writer Chris Erenberg and her professional photographer husband Bill, relate their experiences in Antarctica. In this lively presentation, excerpts of the book are accompanied by Bill's dramatic slides, Crossing the infamous Drake Passage... landing on crystal blue icebergs inhabited by chattering penguins... trying to stand upright in the teeth of a driving blizzard on the edge of a penguin rookery with 12,000 pairs of nesting penguins... swimming just off the ship in the center of a hopefully dormant but still steaming volcano...

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this narrative with accompanying pictures will fly by leaving you asking for more...and perhaps planning your own trip to this fascinating corner of the globe. Come join the Erenbergs, who are well-known travel lecturers, for this exciting presentation... and bring your gloves and parkas.

Interested participants should register in advance. For further information, or to receive a program booklet, contact us at 847-234-6060, visit our website at www.gortoncenter.org, or stop by the Gorton office between 9 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.,

Independence Grove dog exercise area named "best dog park"

North Shore Magazine named the Independence Grove Dog Exercise Area "Best Dog Park" in their annual "Best of the North Shore" issue dated July 2005. The 30-acre off-leash area near Libertyville is one of five designated dog areas in Lake County managed by the Lake County Forest Preserves. While dogs are not allowed on the trails at Independence Grove Forest Preserve, they are welcome to run, play and swim at the Dog Exercise Area located just outside of the Preserve on Milwaukee Avenue (Route 21), just north of Buckley Road

The 30-acre Dog Exercise Area at Independence Grove features mowed trails, fields, wooded areas and a large pond for swimming and retrieving games. It is fenced on three sides (the Des Plaines River closes off the fourth side) and has access to the Des Plaines River Trail (DPRT). When entering the DPRT from the Dog Exercise Area, dogs must be leashed and remain on the trail at all times.

Permits are required and are good for access at any of the four Lake County Forest Preserves Dog Exercise Areas. Daily permits are \$5 for Lake County residents and available at a self-pay station located in the parking lot of each Dog Exercise Area. Annual permits are \$44 for the first dog (Lake County residents) and \$18 for each additional dog in the same household. Permits are available by mail, fax or in person.
An application may be downloaded from www.LCFPD.org.

Permits are sold at the Lake County Forest Preserve General Offices at 2000 North Milwaukee Avenue in Libertyville, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. or the Operations Office in Lakewood Forest Preserve near Wauconda, Monday through Friday from 6:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

For more information about the Lake County Dog Exercise Areas including maps and a permit application, please visit the Lake County Forest Preserves website at www.LCFPD.org.

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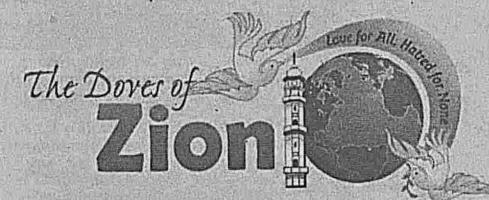


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This yellow lab mix is a very happy dog who would do well with an active family. He's 1and-a-half years old, and needs a

permanent home since he was abandoned at Save-A-Pet some time ago.



This 12-year-old terrier/beagle mix hasn't had the best of luck as two of her previous owners have given her up due to medical problems (theirs, not Heidi's). She loves older children and is well-

trained and sweet as well as good with other pets.

This 5-year-old gray domestic shorthair has never been adopted out and is looking for her first home. She's a little skittish and sounds like she always has a cold, but they say that's because of her current environment she shares with hundreds of other cats.



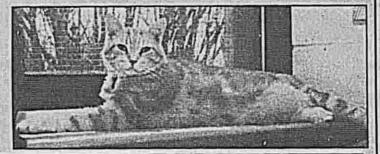
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6-year-old German Shephard wants to be the center of your attention. She does have an eye condition that keeps her out of the sun, but is otherwise normal. She'd be best with older kids or family.



Moe

Once adopted and returned, Moe, a 3year-old domestic shorthair orange tabby would love a home. He is fighting a urinary tract and ear infections, but is very nice and loves being brushed.



These pets are available for adoption at Save-A-Pet, at 31664 N. Fairfield Road, Grayslake. For information, call 847-740-7788 or go to www.save-a-pet-il.org.

How to pet proof your home

While expectant parents are typically very aware of how to "baby proof" their homes in anticipation of the arrival of a newborn, pet-owners are often ill-equipped for such preparations when bringing home a new puppy or kitten. Since animals walk and chew long before a newborn baby can even turn over, it's important to make sure to "pet-proof' your home before welcoming a four-legged friend into the family.

So what's the most vulnerable part of your home? From muddy paws to "accidents," your flooring will be the first thing affected by your new furry family member. Dan Inman of Floor Decor Carpet One explains, "One of the most common requests from a homeowner with pets is for flooring that is durable and stain-resistant, but also looks good in their home. For pet owners, I always recommend carpet from our exclusive LEES For Living collection, which is specially designed to withstand spills and stains."

Dan Inman also suggests choosing a durable hard surface flooring, instead of carpeting. Inman explains that most types of laminate and vinyl flooring are scratch-resistant and easy to clean. "Laminate or vinyl flooring is a perfect option for pet-owners," said Inman, "And you can choose something with a hardwood or ceramic tile look, so you're not sacrificing style for functionality."

Getting the right flooring is a great start, but you shouldn't stop there! Inman has also consulted with a pet expert in order to offer consumers some quick and easy tips for protecting their entire home, from the floors up, so relationships with pets can be filled with love, rather than anxiety. "Before bringing a pet into your home, you have to pay attention to potential hazards - or temptations - and take the necessary precautions to ensure the smoothest transition for both you and your new pet," says Tim Kelly, Certified Professional Dog Trainer. "Once you've pet-proofed your home as best you can, make sure you have an ample supply of patience and a great sense of humor.'

Kelly suggests the following tips for petproofing your home: Protect Your Fragile Home Furnishings. Use common sense when it comes to breakables in your home. If you love that vase

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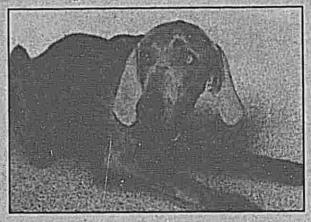
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you inherited from your grandmother, don't put it on a low table or shelf. A dog's wagging tail can make that vase history!

Protect Your Home From Pet Stains. Pets will most likely have accidents on the floor until they are trained. In addition, if your pet is feeling neglected during the day, it might take its frustration out on your flooring. In either case, you want to make sure you have an enzymatic cleaner and a durable carpet to battle the messes Floor Decor Carpet One's exclusive LEES For Living carpet features patented stain protection technology from 3M, the makers of Scotchgard protector, that, unlike any other, penetrates the carpet completely and repels stains. LEES For Living carpeting also comes with a 25-year Ultra25 stain protection service plan that includes "pet messes," which are excluded from most other carpet lines.

TIP: What To Do If a Stain Occurs. If your pet stains your flooring, the sooner you remove the stain the better - www.CarpetONE.com includes a stain removal guide for everything from pet food to urine. If you have a pet food stain, for example, scrape or blot up the excess spill, and then apply dry baking powder. Scrape that up and then vacuum. Use a damp sponge to wipe up the remaining baking soda, but don't over-wet the area. Then blot, but don't rub. Apply a presoak solution (which is one teaspoon enzyme laundry detergent mixed with one cup water). Then wipe with a damp sponge again, and re-blot. Afterwards, apply a dry powder cleaner such as Carpet One's Capture. And then a final vacuuming of the spot should take care of it! The web site has tips for other types of stain removal as well.

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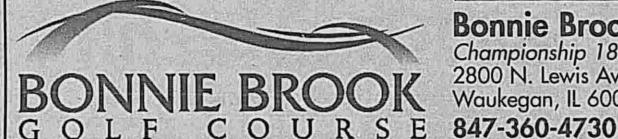
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Hall & Oates rescheduled to August 12

The Genesee Theatre, in conjunction with Star Productions announced the rescheduling and postponement of the Friday, July 15 performance featuring Hall & Oates. Due to Daryl Hall's recent diagnosis with Lyme Disease, the show has been rescheduled to Friday, Aug. 12, at 8 p.m. Tickets for this one night only performance are still available and are priced at \$34.50, \$44.50 and \$64.50. Tickets can be purchased at the Genesee Theatre Box Office, all Ticketmaster outlets, charge-by-phone at 312-559-1212 or online at www.ticketmaster.com

Ticket holders for the original July 15 performance may simply use their original ticket for the Aug. 12 performance. Ticket holders will be given the same seats for the new performance. If ticket holders are unable to make this new performance date, they can return to the place of purchase for a full refund.

Hall has been diagnosed with Lyme Disease. Lyme Disease is caused by the bite of infected deer ticks, and often presents with a characteristic "bull's-eye" rash, which is usually accompanied by flu-like symp-

The malady caused Hall and Oates to postpone a series of dates over the past few weeks, among them the scheduled show at the Genesee Theatre. Diagnosed early, Hall is expected to make a full and rapid recovery and resume the tour as soon as he is able. The duo's manager and agent are currently working on re-scheduling as many postponed shows as possible. The previously scheduled performance dates for August and September will not be affected. A revised tour schedule will be announced shortly.

"We are so sorry to disappoint our fans, but we promise to make it up to



Daryl Hall & John Oates back for another live show at the Genesee Theatre Friday July 15, 8 p.m.

them," Hall said. "This illness made it impossible for me to give my best effort to our audience, but now that it's been identified, I'm looking forward to a complete, quick recovery and to get back out there with John as soon as possible."

Now in to their fourth decade of recording together, Hall & Oates first joined forces in the early 60's, going on to become what theNew York Times called "pop music's number 1 singing duo." Hailed as one of the most successful blueeved soul duos of the 80's, Daryl Hall & John Oates have accumulated more than ten Top 20 hits off platinum albums such as Voices, H2O and Big Bam Boom. Their endless string of chart-topping hit singles include: "Maneater," "Rich Girl," "Kiss On My List," "So Close," "Private Eyes" and "Sara Smile." Their latest CD to date - Our Kind of Soul.

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Mar 21/Apr 20 This week you will be more likely to go on an adventure. It won't be anything elaborate, just a short journey to someplace you've always wanted



LIBRA Sept 23/Oct 23

Don't overanalyze decisions, Libra, Make up your mind already. Trust that your first instinct is really the right way to go. You'll be pleasantly surprised at the results.



TAURUS Apr 21/May 21 This is a great week to expose yourself to other points of view, Taurus. Rather than clashing with people who have other opinions, listen respectfully to what they have to say.



Oct 24/Nov 22

It's wise if you avoid making financial decisions this week, Scorpio. That's because you've hit a road bump in your financial savvy. You'll get back on track soon.



GEMINI

May 22/Jun 21
Now's the chance for your individuality to really shine, Gemini. Try showing off the qualities that make you different and unique, like sharing hobbies and collections.



SAGITTARIUS Nov 23/Dec 21

You'll want to spend more time with someone you find special, Sagittarius. Regardless of how busy your schedule is, set aside a few hours for romance.



CANCER Jun 22/Jul 22

Take time for both social activities and alone time, Cancer. This week you'll have these dual needs. Fortunately you can master both without any trouble.



CAPRICORN Dec 22/Jan 20

There's no better time to focus on your health, Capricorn. Schedule that routine physical, join a gym or start to eat better. You'll find that the results will be worth it all.



Jul 23/Aug 23 Leo, this week you'll immerse yourself in large crowds of people. Whether you attend a party or just mingle at a crowded mall or restaurant, feed off



AQUARIUS Jan 21/Feb 18

This week, the language of love is in full force. Use the opportunity to rekindle a relationship with someone special. Watch the sparks fly as you initiate communication.

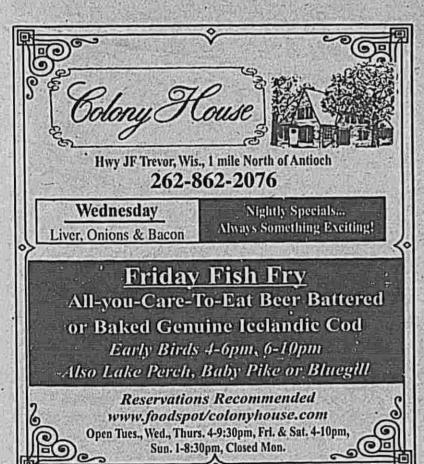


Aug 24/Sept 22
This week, your leadership skills are really put to the test, Virgo. You'll find yourself in situations where you must take the primary role. Enjoy the spot-



Feb 19/Mar 20 Simplicity is the key to success this week, Pisces. Keep this in mind as you head to work or deal with your













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FAIR

Weather permitting, Titus said he intends to offer a variety of food at the Farmer to You Café and Market. Sweet onions, broccoli, summer squash, cherry tomatoes, sweet corn, cantaloupe, potatoes and Asian eggplant are all items on

He said he gets great personal satisfaction out of providing food that can be grown to taste and offered fresh.

"There is gratification in being a part of that," he said. "There isn't a lot of time (for consumers) to go out and collect locally grown produce."

Titus cites store convenience, credit cards, one-stop shopping and busy families as reasons shoppers don't search out locally grown food, but said that trend may be changing.

"Now consumers are seeing the value in purchasing (food) from local growers and keeping them in business," he said.

Farmer Fred Pavlich said that although he doesn't do too much retail farming he does see the benefit in providing Lake County residents with locally grown food.

He hopes to offer herbs, leaf lettuce, radishes and spinach at the Farmer to You Café and Market He also hopes to sell a variety of heirloom tomatoes.

"To the best of my knowledge there are only two farmers in this part of Illinois that offer heirloom tomatoes," he

Though retired for more than 20 years, Pavlich said he still enjoys farming as a glorified hobby. He currently works farmland in Gurnee and distributes most of his products to local country clubs.

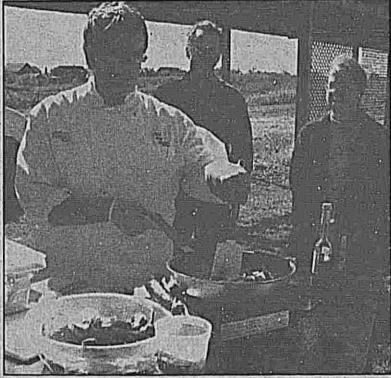
"Farmers share a love of the land that a lot of people can't understand," he said. "Twenty-four hours and day, seven days a week. It's fun."

Titus said one of the things he loves

about farming is inspecting his fields.

"Going out into the vegetable fields at night, when the wildlife comes alive, and just looking at how the crops are doing is a peaceful time," he said. "For me, it's a wonderful thing."

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Sunset Chef Ken Chaffin prepares food at last year's Edible Harvest Fest. The Fest was inspiration for this year's Farmer to You Cafe and Market that will offer locally grown food at the Lake County Fair July 26 through July 31.

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Former area resident comes back with a helping hand



VIEWPOINT

Citizens' impatience undercuts war aims

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Q: "How has the drought/lack of rain affected you?"

hot topic



"My flower baskets are dried and husky (but) I get to spend a lot of time at the beach."

ERIN GROSKOPF Libertyville



'When I water my flowers, they come out by the handful. I just wish it would rain for my flowers."

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much, but I feel sorry for the farmers. This is the worst (drought) since 1985."

"The grass

doesn't mean

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"Not really, It really hasn't affected us. We have sprinklers and we water every other day."

HOWARD MURPHY Libertyville



"We put the hose on (the trees) and let it trickle."

MURPHY Libertyville

CIVIL WAR REVISITED



Photo by Candace H. Johnson

Members of the Confederate Army prepare for battle at Civil War Days, held at the Lakewood Forest Preserve in Wauconda on Sunday.

St. Therese hospital now down to 51 beds

Victory able to expand service with nursing resources pooled

By Brian Janosch

Staff Reporter

Words and beds alike have been passing back and forth between St. Therese and Victory Hospitals in Waukegan lately, but that's all settled a bit now thanks to an agreement that will keep the doors to St. Therese open. The hospital will house a 46-bed mental health unit and a 25-bed rehab center, with all other services moving three miles down the road to Victory.

Victory Chief Executive Officer Barbara Martin described the transitions as "win-win" for the community, with more medical coverage now offered in one location. Thanks to the move, staffing has reached a point where 90 percent of Victory's beds can be utilized as opposed to only 60-to-70 percent before the shift of services.

'They're sacrificing acute medical beds to bring in sophisticated equipment for sophisticated procedures that can be done at nearby hospitals.'

> Dr. Gerald Havey Vista physician

On top of the increased availability at Victory, the hospital was able to salvage two departments that would have otherwise been lost for good. The 46-bed mental health unit is the only one of its kind in Lake County, and the rehab center provides a valuable service to outpatients not willing to enter a nurs-ing home. Had St. Therese been

closed completely, patients seeking either service would have been pushed out of the county to receive their care.

"I don't know what (the patients) would do without these service available," said Christine Samonds, Manager of Therapy and Nursing Services, "We feel good because we're the only ones providing these things and we love helping people go home."

But for a "win-win" situation, some members of the medical community feel like it's the patients who are losing out the most.

Two years and five public hearings have brought U.S. Senator Barack Obama, State Senator Terry Link (D-Waukegan) and State Representative Eddie Washington

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Paddock to buy Lakeland Media

Paddock Ventures LLC has agreed to purchase Lakeland Media from the William Schroeder family. Paddock Ventures is a subsidiary of Paddock Publications Inc., publisher of the Daily Herald.

The announcement was made at the weekly newspaper group's office in Grayslake on July 12, where Schroeder said that the sale begins a new era of success for the newspaper and the staff.

"Being part now of a larger suburban group will accelerate Lakeland's growth in Lake County, and we feel Lakeland is a perfect fit with Paddock," Schroeder said.

Lakeland Media, which just celebrated its 50th anniversary, publishes 12 weekly community newspapers in Lake County under vari-ous titles, the widely-distributed Market Journal, the Great Lakes Bulletin for the Great Lakes Naval
Base in North Chicago and other
specialty publications.

Lakeland was formed in July

1956 under the name Lakeland Publishers, It was started when cur-rent publisher William Schroeder and his father Marshall purchased three weekly newspapers – Grayslake Times, Round Lake News and Fox Lake Press. In addition to those three newspapers, Lakeland Media today also includes the weekly publications Antioch News, Gurnee Press, Lake Villa Record, Libertyville News, Lindenhurst -News, Mundelein News, Wadsworth News, Wauconda Leader and Waukegan Times.

Paddock Publications is a family-owned company celebrating its 133rd year of operation. It publishes the Daily Herald, the third largest daily newspaper in Illinois, and serves more than 90 suburban communities with 150,000 daily circulation in Cook, Lake, DuPage, Kane, McHenry and Will counties.

"Lake County is an exciting, fast-growing marketplace," said Dan Baumann, Paddock's chairman and publisher, "and it has responded well to the professional, commu-

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Jewel set for July 23 Genesee show

By Kathy Gresey

Staff Reporter

Armed with an acoustic guitar and a soulful voice that has been entertaining audiences for more than a decade, Jewel will take center stage at Waukegan's Genesee Theatre on July 23.

The one-night only performance will take place at 8 p.m. with opening act Joe

Having sold over 25 million records to date, Jewel first caught the public's eye 10 years ago with her album Pieces of You. Since then she has recorded five albums.

Her most recent being 0304, which debuted at number two on the Billboard 200 chart in June of 2003.

In 2004 she released her first live DVD,



Jewel tickets are on sale now for her show this month.

Live at Humphrey's By the Bay, a collection of live performances, interviews and behind-the-scenes footage.

al," she said.

She added that her summer tour has been successful so far, just playing old-

fashioned, intimate shows. She is currently working on a new album scheduled for said. "I get to talk a lot and the fans get to know me. I can listen to the crowd and taitentative release this lor the shows."

February. Among other musical works, it will also include songs that the singer/songwriter has been playing for decades yet has never recorded.

Jewel described the album as broken down and sparse.

"It's pretty emotion-

Tickets for Jewel's July 23 performance at the Genesee Theatre are \$35.50 and

first performance in Lake County.

\$45.50. Tickets can be purchased at the Genesee Theatre Box Office, all Ticketmaster outlets, charge-by-phone at 312-559-1212 or online at www.ticketmaster.com.

"I've really enjoyed (the shows)," she

Jewel said she doesn't use a set list. Her

Genesee Theatre performance will be her

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Members of CLC's wind and Jazz ensembles were part of 50 musicians who performed in Besana, Italy.

Music makers

CLC music groups represents USA in international festival in Italy

By Nicholas Alajakis

Staff Reporter

While normally taking on the role of a retired musical director from Lake County, Brice Mack had a chance to be an ambassador of sorts during a recent trip to Italy.

Mack, of Libertyville, was a part of a group of 50 musicians from the College of Lake County selected to participate in the international band festival in Besana, Italy.

Both CLC's wind and jazz ensembles made the trip and were the only United States representatives at the weeklong festival.

Having never traveled outside of the county himself, the trip was great experi-ence, said Mack, who plays the saxophone in CLC's jazz band and the clarinet in its wind ensemble. Having the opportunity to go overseas and represent not only Lake County but the whole country was a thrill, he added. Mack's wife, Gail, a flute player for the wind ensemble, also made the jour-

It was the first overseas trip that a CLC band has taken, said Mack, who was the music director at the school for 27 years before retiring in 2004.

Current music director Mike Flack said he was very pleased with the trip. Both groups played really well, and were well received, he said.

The festival, which takes place every two

years, attracted more than 50,000 people. CLC concerts alone were drawing upwards of 2,500 guests, Flack said.

Other musical groups came from Belarus, China, Holland and Italy.

The groups played three concerts each. Neighboring towns of Medolago and Renate hosted the first two shows, while the final was held in the host town or Besana, 21 miles northeast of Milan.

"The way we played at the main concert was by far the best we've played all year," Flack said.

Flack first played in the Besana festival in 1989 as a student at Rolling Meadows. It was Flack's experience that garnered CLC recognition to attend the festival. The school was helped make the trip with a \$25,000 grant from the CLC Foundation.

Flack said the group was grateful for the grant, because they might not have otherwise been able to in making the trip.

Mack agreed, saying the musical experience was one he will not forget.

Mack's favorite part of the trip was the final concert, where a handful of musicians from each group got together and played one large concert. The way strangers were able to use music as a common language was definitely a sight to see, he added.

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CLC's search for top post goes postal

More than 5,000 candidates for college's top post being reached with brochures

By Brian Janosch

Staff Reporter

They've been licking a lot of stamps in the College of Lake County mail room lately, as they prepare to mail out 3,500 brochures in hopes of luring a presidential candidate.

In conjunction with Pauly Group Inc., a Springfield-based search firm, more than 5,000 brochures are being mailed to potential president candidates throughout the nation. The college plans on being able to compile a finalized list of semifinalists by their Sept. 7 board meeting, said CLC spokeswoman Evelyn Schiele.

"They're looking for a number of things," she said. "But their minimum qualifications are administrative experience, an advanced degree and preferably teaching experience as well."

Just last school year CLC conducted a similar search that found them a worthy candidate, but the process halted over contract disagreements. This time the CLC board of trustees is making a few minor altercations to the process in order to insure a candidate is found.

Most importantly, among those changes made to the search, will be two trustees – Philip Carrigan and Robert Anderson – serving on the search committee. Allowing two trustee members on the committee should help keep communication open between the board and the committee, and allow for more participation and feedback from both sides, Schiele said.

CLC is also using Pauly Group, a national search firm that specializes in finding potential candidates, to aid them through the early stages of finding their next president. The timetable, for now, will have the list of potential replacements narrowed down to 15 individuals by Sept 7, with interviews being conducted in early October.

Once those interviews are completed, a group of finalists will return to interview before the board of trustees who will then make the ultimate decision.

Choosing a president carries significant weight for a board of trustees, as no position appointment will do more to sway the direction of the college as a whole for the immediate and long-term future. With that

in mind, some of the critical issues facing CLC today will certainly play a hand in the type of person selected to serve the role.

"We're in a period where higher education, as a whole, is more expensive," Schiele said. "That makes community colleges more attractive, so we have to continue to do more with less."

Doing more with less is a stigma almost any participant in higher education has to cope with today, making the financial and fund-raising aspects of the presidency two primary focuses in this summer's search.

"I can't speak on behalf of the committee," Schiele said. "But I'm certain they'll be looking for someone with experience addressing fiscal constraints."

Among other characteristics on the laundry list of desires from the search

committee are leadership qualities, financial understanding, creative thinking and problem solving, experience in diverse populations, experience with business, industries and government, an advocate for the college and someone who communicates well.

Besides that list of character features, Schiele made a strong point that all those traits were in addition to the given hope that CLC's future president would be strong in developing academic programs to guide students and staff into the future.

Retired Executive Vice-President Russell Peterson will continue to serve as interim President until a permanent replacement is found.

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County bids farewell to information chief

By Nicholas Alajakis

Staff Reporter

Technology has been one of the biggest hurdles for any corporation to overcome and master in the last three decades. Leading Lake County government through it was Randall

Murphy, the longtime chief information technology officer who retired last month.

This week Lake County officials bid their farewell to Murphy — a man they credit for helping the county get up to speed on fast-growing technology field.

nology field.

"You have been a constant (for us)," board member Ann Maine (R-Lincolnshire) told Murphy. "Every year technology changes and you've kept us up to speed,"

Murphy began with the county in 1969 as a programmer. In 1977 he was promoted to director of the technology department.

In his 36 years Murphy said he was always kept busy with updates and keeping up to speed.

And officials joked that he was always more than happy to share that information, even if it meant talking for minutes on end. Even when he'd go into his long descriptions of new technologies, senior board member Audrey Nixon (D-North Chicago) said she appreciated knowing the county was heading in the right direction.

Among his accomplishment the board recognized him bore, was his administration and management of an in-house voters system that was used for years. He also implemented a human resources and payroll system that was used for years. Murphy was also responsible for the county's Web site and email servers. He also oversaw the implementation of a new court systems and a GIS system used to rezone the county board in 1991.

Having someone comprehend technology as well as Murphy did was a great asset, said board member Carol Spielman (D-Highland Park).

Not everyone has that knowledge, Spielman added, remembering a time when electronic typewriters were a big deal to her. The list of Murphy's implementations goes on, from aerial photography to phone systems. And then there was his Y2K compliance, which went off without a hitch.

Murphy said he felt honored to work for Lake County and get the opportunity to do what he did for so many years.

Murphy's officially retired June 30. He was replaced by interim director Phil Balke.

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Country charm: a fair essential

ne of the charms of the Lake County Fair opening
Tuesday, July 26, for a six day run is that the top celebrity
entertainers for the 2005 exposition are four-footed and
covered with fur.

Home-grown canine star Swee 'Pea, the 'World's Smartest Dog' who hails from Grayslake, and her handler, Popeye (alias Alex Rothacker) will be sharing the spotlight with the Budweiser Clydesdales, who never fail to thrill audiences.

Swee 'Pea and the Clydesdales have logged almost as much to time as Leno and Letterman(well, quite abit) and fairgoers will be able to see them in person and a lot more for a modest \$7 admission fee for adults. Kids 12 and under are free as are uniformed military personnel. Seniors are admitted for \$3.

The annual fair and the fairgrounds at Rte. 45 and 120 don't change that much from year to year. Fair fans wouldn't have it any other way. They expect to see livestock, horse shows, professional rodeos and listen to country music with plenty of fiddles. At the same time they like to check out the fair queen contestants and the monster trucks.

Wacky contests like goat milking, baby crawling and watermelon seed spitting keep fairgoers coming back. So does fun at the midway and enjoying fair food. A trip to the fair is a great opportunity to forget about calories and basic food groups.

There always are a few new attractions at the fair, just enough to

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Land purchases control growth

or nearly 40 years, the single most effective means of controlling growth and development in Lake County, and, in some cases, stopping development altogether, has been purchase of open space by the Forest Preserved District.

The Lake County Forest Preserve District owns about 25,270 acres in all comers of the county. The district for many years has enjoyed solid public support. The public looks to the district for recreational activity, entertainment and protection of the environment besides creating and managing pockets of open space. Taking their cue from the voters, elected officials, for the most part, support district endeavors.

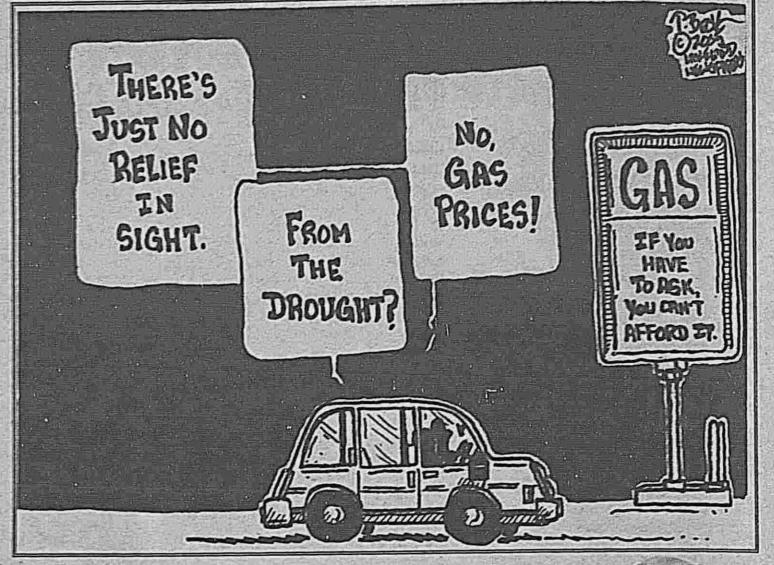
Once again the district is laying its prestige on the line in the form of a proposed referendum in March to restock its supply of funds for further land acquisition. The proceeds of the last referendum approved in 2000 are down to about \$7 million which is committed to purchases in the near future. The cupboard is bare and commissioners of the Forest Preserve District are wondering if voters still are interested in going forward with more land buys.

District officials have contracted with an Evanston research firm to take a survey of public opinion. District Ex. Dir. Thomas Hahn says the firm has been "very accurate" in past surveys. The survey in the form of telephone polling is expected to conducted after Labor Day.

In recent years, land acquisition basically has been done in the name of preserving open space and protecting the environment. Even though voters have a better understanding of the relationship between more rooftops and the increased cost of government that results in increases in real estate taxes, the impact on controlling growth by removing land from the path of development is subtle.

That wasn't always the case. In the early days of the Forest Preserve District, a handful of County Board members who also are district commissioners saw the dangers of rampant growth. They understood the use of public land acquisition as a tool to control or stop growth and they used it. That's how the Countryside Golf Course near Mundelein came to be part of the Forest Preserve System. That's why the Rollins Savannah is a forest preserve instead of a sea of roof tops when owners of the Picket Fence Farm decided to sell.

Lake County residents achieve a great deal when they purchase open space. They preserve greenery and protect the environment. Our quality of life is enhanced immeasurably. And they help control runaway development and all the negative aspects of urban sprawl.



VIEWPOINT

Citizen impatience undercuts war aims



Bill Schroeder

Publisher

Americans, it's impatience.
We blast the car horn if the guy in front is slow to get moving.
We glare at the fumbler ahead of us in the supermarket check out line.
Dads want their seven-year-old
Little League son to swing from the heels so they can crank home runs. Moms dress their middle school daughters like tv rock stars.

Impatience is evident in every day life. The "always in overdrive" mentality has a positive side in the American psych, providing the ingredient in the national drive to achieve and succeed. All well and good. There's a down side, though, and it is showing in how Americans perceive the progress of the U.S. War on Terror.

If we're to believe even a part of what the mainstream media says, more and more Americans want to pull out of Iraq, hang the repercussions. Get out. Bring the troops home. There is a willingness, even a sense of eagerness, to fold efforts to bring democracy to a part of the world that could spread throughout the Arab world. The anti-war crowd and naysayers ignore even what our own sons and daughters in the military relate as the positive things taking place to achieve peace and tran-

quility for people who formerly lived in a dictatorship.

President Bush's call to "stay the course" and "finish the job" is met with disdain by fidgity Americans. Instead of uniting for common cause, the effort to spread peace is met with catcalls and derision from the left. Late night comedians draw laughs with lame jokes about our nation's goals and aims. Too may U.S. citizens don't seem to understand the long-term value of a strategy not to surrender in the war to defeat terrorism. Would they rather set the stage for more plane hijackings and jets flying into American landmarks?

COMMENTARY



SEEING IT

John Matijevich

A political picture becomes 'worth a thousand words'

t's been said thousands of times—"a picture is worth a thousand words." State Rep. JoAnn Osmond, who doubles as Chairwoman of the Lake County Republican Central Committee can attest to that.

Osmond took some flak from some local Republicans when they objected to the photo of a smiling Osmond alongside a smiling 8th District Congresswoman Melissa Bean in a Bean mailing brochure. That was followed by a scathing letter from Osmond to Bean calling the use of her in the picture was unauthorized and that Bean should apologize for the "misuse." Heaven forbid, there was even an American flag behind the two jovial public

So far I haven't heard that Melissa Bean apologized. Why should she? What has she done?

I can't tell you how many times that I have seen elected officials outrun each other to be in the middle of a photograph. They didn't care which political party the others in the picture belonged to, and they surely knew that some day that photo would pop up somewhere, or at least they hoped so.

I remember a time when a governor gave a big laugh when another politician bumped him to get a better position in a photo-op. And there have been many times when Republicans have gone to Democrat fundraisers, and vice versa, and, yes there have been some pictures taken.

I have already written in this column that Rep. Osmond has been doing an outstanding job as a public official. Nothing since has changed my mind. When she was elected her Party's chairwoman position, I alluded to my opinion that "she might rue that day." There can always be conflicts between your primary office and the political position. Also, I am sure that she has already found out that it becomes difficult to "juggle the local political torch."

Her counterpart, Sen. Terry
Link, is finding that out trying to
"stay above the fray" in the bitter
Waylergan Township politics

Waukegan Township politics.

I believe that JoAnn Osmond
has done what she thought was natural, to appease some in her Party
who want to make issue of the
photo. She may find that part of
that group may be looking for ways

to oust her from the political post.
Others thought that the issue could be turned against Congresswoman Bean, so they wanted to "raise a political stink."

The whole issue smells. It's laughable. Look at the photo. They both look great together. Their broad smiles show that they look like "happy campers." Why spoil that and continue this silliness over nothing.

Congresswoman Bean and
State Rep. JoAnn Osmond, working
together in a wholesome official
relationship, can do so much for
their districts. Their responsibilities
overlap. There will always be some
differences on some issues. But,
there is much that they can agree
on, and work cooperatively to help
people in their area.

Wouldn't it just be wrong, awkward, and silly that, because of 'the "brouhaha," they would hesitate to be seen together, whatever the function or circumstance? For the best interests of the people in both the 8th Congressional and 61st Rep. Districts, let's drop this non-

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PARTYLINES

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Youth work program reaches new heights

Zion Township youth work program is bigger and better than ever, according to Supervisor Cheri Neal Ditzig.

A total of 105 boys and girls aged 14 and 15 are "earning and learning" in a program supported by the township, the County Lake and local businesses. The program runs for eight weeks and introduces young people to entry level work experiences. This is the largest group ever signed up.

Cutting grass, yard work, washing dishes, weed whacking. household duties, landscaping—duties involving handwork—are typical. "We learned several years ago that young people aren't allowed to handle power equipment," explained Ditzig, who administers the program. The township contributes \$100 per child to pay which is set at entry level. Local businesses and residents pay about 50 per cent of the salary costs.

Private practice

Tory Newsome, former Lake County assistant state's attorney, is settling into private law practice in Waukegan. Newsome, a former Waukegan Township Republican chairman, is expected to remain active in politics.

Bean blasted

Illinois Republican leaders hurried to explain that C ongresswoman Millissa Bean (D-8th) took an anti-job stand in supporting a bill prohibiting federal funds from being used to implement UAL Corporation pension restructuring. Republican leaders said that



Detzig: Teaching youngsters value of learning and earning



Swanson: 'Learning the ropes' as supervisor working part-time

UAL Corporation worked with labor groups to prolong the struggling airline and keep thousands of jobs from being lost.

Dems at fair

Pete Couvall, Lake County Democratic vice chairman, is promising visitors to the Lake County Fair face-to-face visits with office holders at the Democratic booth. Townships will take turns having representatives on duty. Tuesday and Wednesday, July 26 and 27, have been designated 8th Congressional Day when Congressman Melissa Bean will make appearances. Couvall stopped short of promising fairgoers with a chance to see Gov. Rod Blagojevich whose schedule has not been announced. "He's welcome," underscored Couvall.

Weedy water woes

Wauconda may be the first Lake County

village where a lake weed problem is becoming a major issue. Long-time resident **Hugo Bliss** and avid fisherman told officials that weeds are choking Bangs Lake. The village is committed to a weed harvesting program that has come under fire. The village maintains a director of environmental quality who is responsible for keeping the lake clean.

Smooth introduction

Wauconda Township Supervisor Glenn Swanson has no intention of making his elected post full-time. With more than three months service under his belt, Swanson is dovetailing township business smoothly with his busy real estate brokerage. He's putting his past experience as a township trustee to good use since his introduction to the supervisor's office amounted to being handed the keys. Wauconda is among Lake County townships, approximately half, where the township supervisor is not considered full-time and is paid accordingly.

Remembering Rolek

Overflow attendance is expected at 1 p.m. Sunday, July 31, for the dedication of the **Robert W. Rolek** Community Center at the Round Lake Park District. The late park district director was at the helm during the period 1980-1995 when a permanent home, swimming pool complex and golf course were acquired. He left the parks and recreation profession to practice law, but returned as legal counsel. The late Mr. Rolek and his

family resided in Lake B luff. The Round Lake Park District is among the largest districts in Lake County.

Temporary temporary

New interim superintendent at embattled Gavin Elementary School, former Wauconda Unit Supt. **Darrell Dick**, is no stranger to community unrest and political infighting. Dick headed Wauconda schools during turbulent years that included teacher strikes and public opposition to tax referenda. Dick, technically an assistant in the office of the Lake County Regional Office of Education, will serve on a temporary basis until a regular interim superintendent is hired, probably around mid-August. The Regional Office has a pool of retired superintendents who handled a variety of roles.

Brands Assembly 'liars'

County Board Chair Suzi Schmidt has a one word description of the Republican Assembly of Lake County, a group headed by retired Air Force officer Ray True of Libertyville that advocates conservative issues and candidates. "Liars," retored Schmidt, describing a mailing piece the group sent to Dist. 3 residents suggesting that Schmidt might not seek re-election. "I'm running. What else can I say?" exclaimed Schmidt who represents a Lake Villa area on the County Board. Schmidt also criticized a phone survey in the district recently that she said was designed to undercut her position. She said she will be a candidate in the March 2006 primary.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Need permission to battle lake weeds

hank you for reviving the interest in the Eurasian Water Milfoil (EWM) invasion that plagues so many of our area Lakes. In August of 2003 your Brenda Balin ran a four part series regarding this topic entitled "Weed Wars" in your Lake Villa and Lindenhurst issues. It came to her attention when Sand Lake residents appealed to a Lake Villa Township Board meeting for help following a Fourth of July boating accident that left two women seriously injured. A contributing factor listed in the police report was that both boat operators were trying to avoid the large weed beds.

Another problem is an odd Illinois law that allows private ownership of lake bottom property; not the public waters above, but just the lake bottom. With that comes the right to control what is put into the water that might settle on that property.

When our Lindenhurst property was a vacant lot we received notices from the Village warning us that grass and weeds on that property must be mowed below a specified height, or they would mow it and bill us. Now imagine a vacant property adjacent to a public recreational area where the weeds are 12 feet tall and spread into the public area blocking recreational access, contributing to accidents, damaging recreational vehicles, smothering natural plant life and fostering an ecological calamity...and no one is allowed to effectively control it. Those of us on Sand Lake don't need to imagine it....we just look out the window.

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As mentioned in your article, safe, effective treatments are available to control this invader. Using products approved by the Lake County Health Department's Lakes Management Unit, applied by certified applicators of Lake Villa Township, we have treated the small areas allowed, and have seen a steady rebound of stargrass and other natural, lower growing plant life, but the sun-blocking canopy of EWM on the majority of the surface makes further recovery impossible.

The frustration felt by members of the Sand Lake Property Owners Association (SLPOA) is that we have the funds to do much more, but are not permitted to. So we watch the weeds rot in great mats and rake them into haystacks when they wash ashore, preventing kids from enjoying a day of play in the shallows. Even the lush beds of Lily Pads that were here as recently as the early 90s are only a memory.

Naturalist and boater alike, we are all rightfully concerned about what we put in our waters. Hopefully the days of "more, cheaper, better" mentality are behind us, along with the toll they sometimes took on the health of both humans and nature. So how are we to know what to use and how these things work?

After 15 years of looking for solutions and explanations, I recently was referred to a presentation by Dr. Carole Lembi of Purdue University titled "Why Aquatic Herbicides Affect Aquatic Plants and not You". It is a slide-show-like Powerpoint presentation available on the internet by going to

www.btny.purdue.edu/Movies/AquaticHerbici desFlash.html. It deals with some of the specific options you mentioned, and some that are comparable. I was most impressed by a slide showing the comparative density of natural plants versus EWM in a control (untreated) area and an area treated with a product that works like 2-4-D. I hope everyone with our concerns will check out this very informative report.

Thanks again for bringing the EWM problem back to your pages. Now if we can just get it out of our Lakes!

> Roger Pretzel Vice President Sand Lake Property Owners Assn.

Bad adult behavior

I attended the June 28 Gavin District 37 School Board meeting and was appalled at the behavior exhibited by many in attendance. I must say that our school community could be the poster child for adults behaving badly.

One example of that behavior was when an audience member asked two board members why they had been previously involved with the CURB group. One board member was allowed to answer and I thought she answered very clearly, intelligently and professionally. When the second member attempted to answer, he could not speak because of rude interruptions from the audience. When he gave up trying to talk, then the audience jeered because he "wouldn't answer the question" This was only one of many instances when the audience laughed, hooted and jeered while the board attempted to answer questions or to conduct business that evening.

The low point of the evening was when a former board member announced to the board and public that she had checked into a couple of board members property taxes and found that their June installment had not been

received by the county collector. She demanded that the money owed our school district be paid! In these cases, as is not uncommon, taxes are being paid by banks through escrow accounts. Is this really anyone else's business? It seems to me the intent here must have been to discredit and embarrass two people. The one who should be embarrassed and ashamed of herself is the accuser.

To the Gavin school community...please, please accept the fact that we have ONE school board. There should be no more "the old board this" and "the new board that." There is only "the school board." They were elected by us to conduct the business of our school district. Yes, they are moving in a direction that is not agreeable to all the community - but a large majority of the community supports that direction, in fact, we gave them that direction. Those of you who are having difficulty accepting this and are giving the board a hard time are not making an already difficult job any easier. I suppose that is the intent, but what good can come from that, really?

Marcia Wolf Ingleside

Bring home troops

Those of us who lived through Vietnam have seen this before. A war entered into on false premises, continued by its own momentum. An administration who, being exposed like the Wizard of Oz, desperately tries to tell us to "pay no attention to that man behind the curtain."

Our only hope is that the American people will not listen to the fantasy tale being spun for us, and begin to look at reality and the ugly facts of this war. Look at the pictures on our TV screens. Read the stories in our papers. The truth is coming out.

Proponents of this war now say let's not make this another Vietnam, let's finish the job. This is exactly how it becomes another Vietnam. This war is over. Let us face the fact. Only this time, let us do it sooner, rather than

later. Spare the country, our troops, and the Iraqi people from added years of needless death and destruction. Bring our troops home now. They have already done their job. Now let's do ours.

Bill Scheurer Lindenhurst

Witch hunt

The Gurnee village board meeting is in violation of policy, which requires six seated trustees. I support the choice of Lyle Foster as replacement trustee who has no political ties. -He is a qualified and a compassionate leader as well as very professional, with an extremely strong vision as a public servant who can and will move the village forward. The subject matter before the board is the need to appoint a village trustee and not the several Witch Hunt ideas such as Civil Service Commission etc. These ideas are positive insults to Mr. Foster's character representing someone talking from both sides of their mouth. I regret having supported you in the past, Karen, Tom and Ray since you are a stumbling block in moving the village forward. Remember you represent the community and not just your narrow minded choice. I trust each of you will reconsider your choice of Lyle Foster.

George D. Lyall Gurnee

Price too high

The President offered no substantive plan for pulling out of Iraq in his speech. The situation is growing worse and the President is determined to put his head in the sand and deny reality. Over 1,700 Americans have been killed and 12,000 wounded. Has the result been worth the price? I think the friends and family of the dead and wounded would say not.

It's time to return Iraq to the Iraqis and stop sacrificing the lives of Americans.

Andrew Kitzmiller Mundelein

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COMMENTARY

issue, and allow these two responsible public officials to continue to do the jobs to which they were elected. By continuing

to work together, I want those smiles to become broader, and the citizens will be happier, too.

AROUNDTHECOUNTY

Sheriff supports children's hospital

Lake County Sheriff Gary Del Re announced plans for the upcoming St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Miracle Mile Event. Members of the Lake County Sheriff's Office jail staff are coordinating this special event to raise money for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Those interested would either donate money to the cause or participate in a three-mile walk that will take place at 9 a.m. on July 23. People who are interested in participating or donating to this should call Officer Nancy Rivera for details at 847-662-3587.

Speaker to address sweating the small stuff

Many caregivers face the larger challenges of life head on, but find themselves particularly stressed by ongoing little challenges. Caregivers may not realize that the small tasks they push off may be the ones stressing them out the most. Find out how to conquer these small tasks at the next Caregiver Information and Support Meeting offered by the Lake County Health Department/Community Health Center, The meeting will be held at Warren Township Senior Center, located at 17801 W. Washington St., in Gurnee, on July 20 from 1:30-3:30 p.m.

The meeting is free and any caregiver is welcome to attend. For more information, call Sharon Roberts, RN, MA, the Health Department's gerontologist at 847-377-8097.CareCoach comes to GLCUs

GLCU Care Coach

Great Lakes Credit Union recently entered into a partnership with Lake Forest Hospital and its mobile health unit "CareCoach" to bring a variety of free preventive health services and educational programs to Lake County residents.

In service since 1999, the Lake Forest Hospital's CareCoach is a fully-equipped

BONUS!

mobile health unit, staffed with two full-time licensed healthcare professionals, and offers: blood pressure screenings, blood sugar (glucose) screenings, cholesterol screenings, osteoporosis bone density tests for women over 40 and health behavior/health risk appraisals.

The following is the schedule of the CareCoach visits to the GLCU Service Centers this year: July 22—In Round Lake Beach, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Aug. 8—In Gurnee, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.; Aug. 26—In North Chicago, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Sept. 23—In Waukegan, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. For details, call Susan Malo at GLCU at 847-578-8869.

Summer SWC workshop

The Soil and Water Conservation District of Lake County and the Lake County Stormwater Management Commission bringing a new summer workshop. "Rain Gardens—Landscaping for Water Quality," which will focus on the benefits of such gardens, as well as on how to install one, how to maintain it and the kind of plants you can choose for such a project. The workshop will take place on July 20, at 6:30 p.m. at the Byron Colby Barn at Prairie Crossing in Grayslake. The cost is \$10. Registration is necessary. Call 847-223-1056 for details.

LCRTL baby photo contest

From July 27-31 at the the Lake County Fair, the Lake County Right to Life will have a Precious Baby Photo Contest at the Lake County Fair. The Lake County Right to Life booth will be in Building 7 adjacent to the cafeteria at the Lake County Fair grounds.

Any baby under the age of 2 is eligible. Submit a photo of your precious baby (no larger than 5 by 7 inches). Include baby's name, parent's name, address and phone number (in order to reach winners). All photos will be returned if an address is included. Send one photo only per child.

Mail photos to: Lake County Right to Life/Carol Walsh, 718 Meadow Lane, Libertyville.

For additional information, call 847-223-7022 or 847-362-6863.

Little City to honor couple

Ed and Andrea Hockfield will be given the Morrie Kellman Award for Dedication and Service to Children and Adults with Disabilities on July 25, at a golf fund-raiser hosted by sports broadcaster Tom Shaer of ESPN Radio at the Ivanhoe Club, 28846 Thorngate Drive in Ivanhoe.

The Tournament will begin with registration and a buffet at 11 am to 12:45 pm. The traditional shotgun flight follows at 1 pm. After the tournament the fun continues with a cocktail party at 6 pm and the awards dinner at 7 p.m. Cost to participate for the full day is \$750 per golfer. To attend the cocktail reception and dinner, the cost is \$150 per person. For reservations and information call Phyllis Shipbaugh at 847-221-7789 or psh-hipbaugh@littlecity.org.

O'Toole memorial fund seeks help

On June 6, 20-year Grayslake resident John O'Toole was involved in a serious accident in Libertyville. After an hour-long extraction, O'Toole was taken by Flight for Life to Lutheran General Hospital where he later died.

A fund-raiser for his family will be held at the VFW Hall in Round Lake on Saturday, July 16 from 3 to 10 p.m. The proceeds will got to assist the O'Toole family with huge medical bills and memorial expenses.

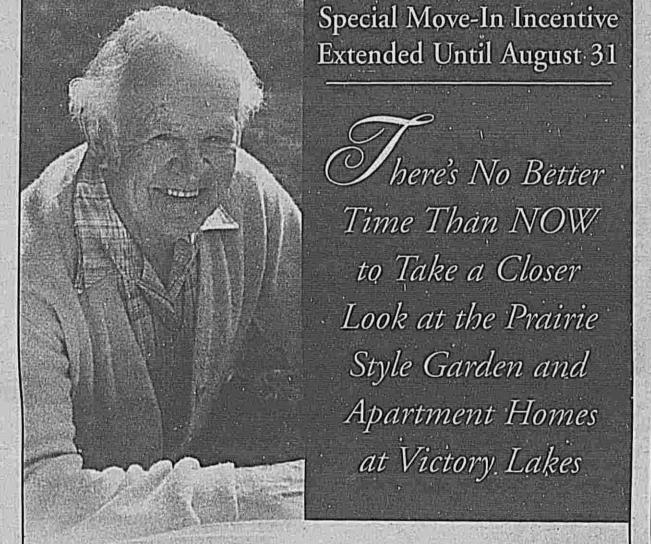
Friends of the community and family are being asked to assist in the process. A special fund has been set up for the O'Toole family at the State Bank of the Lakes in Grayslake. All financial donations requested. There auction of thing ceeds going to the For more info or 847-609-5409.

can be sent to: The John O'Toole Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 7007, Grayslake, IL 60030.

All monetary donations should be made out to O'Toole's daughter, Jennifer O'Toole, on the family's behalf.

In addition to funding, friends are looking for local businesses to donate food and drinks to be served to all the people who attend the fund-raising event. Services and gifts for the fund-raiser are also being requested. There will be a raffle and silent auction of things donated, with all proceeds going to the family.

For more information call 847-890-1353



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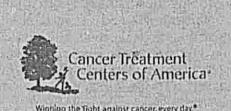
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RE/MAX offices ranked

Independently owned RE/MAX brokerage organizations in the Chicago area rank among the 500 most productive residential brokerages in the nation for 2004 based on transactions closed, according to the annual Power Broker Report. The report appeared in the April issue of National Relocation & Real Estate magazine.

Nationwide, RE/MAX units account for 145 of the 500 ranked brokerages. These brokerages are considered the most productive real estate offices in the United States

The 10 Chicago-area RE/MAX brokerages in the 2005 Power Broker listing (which is based on 2004 results) are led by RE/MAX Suburban, which has offices in Libertyville. It ranked 121st and was among 146 companies that did \$1 billion or more in sales last year.

Other RE/MAX offices in northern Illinois that were featured in the Power Broker 500 are: RE/MAX Showcase, Gurnee, Lake Forest and Long Grove, 221st. RE/MAX Unlimited Northwest, Palatine and Lake Zurich, 467th.

Award for Century 21

M.J. Seiler, co-owner and relocation director Sue Carey, accepted Cendant Mobility's "5 Star Circle of Excellence" Award on behalf of the Libertyville office of Century 21 Kreuser & Seiler at the Cendant Mobility Broker Network International Conference.

United Group gets national honors

Century 21 The United Group, one of the largest residential real estate firms in Lake and DuPage counties, was ranked among the premier real estate companies in America by National Relocation and Real Estate Magazine. The publication's 2005 Power Broker Report listed them among the country's 500 largest real estate organizations vs. tens of thousands in operation.

The 2005 Power Broker Report named Century 21 The United Group 455 in transactions with 1,516 homes sold last year. They named the company 471 in volume with \$285 million sales last year.

Century 21 The United Group has 160 agents and is headed by Broker-Owner Liz Scheffler. Offices include Century 21 Maki United in Waukegan, Century 21 Mac United in Waukegan, Century 21 United in Gurnee, Century 21 United in Grayslake, Century 21 Knox United in Zion.

CCCU celebrates summer

Consumers Cooperative Credit Union celebrates 75 years of service to the community with the "75 Days of Summer." The 75th anniversary promotion includes product specials, cash prizes and giveaways. Members can join in on the celebration and fun until Sept. 3 at all CCCU offices.

Members and guests are invited to register for dally cash drawings of \$100. There will be Friday Focus specials all summer long, too, featuring Certificates of Deposit, VISA credit cards, Kid's Savings Accounts and Home Banking/Bill Payment. Visit one of the CCCU offices for a complete schedule of dates, product specials and to register for the cash drawing. For more information on the "75 Days of Summer," contact Ilona Castillo in CCCU's Marketing Department at 847-265-5531.

GLCU presents check

Eric Harvell, senior VP of operations for the Great Lakes Credit Union (GLCU), presented a check for \$34,000 to Gurnee Mayor Kristina Kovarik. The check, representing funds raised thanks to the efforts of GLCU Marketing Manager Karen Gardner, will make the Fourth of July fireworks a reality for Gurnee.

Money was donated by: Great Lakes Credit Union, Gurnee Mills, Gurnee Dodge, the Village of Gurnee, Signs Now, WXLC, WKRS, Bittersweet Golf Club, Warren Township High School, Warren Township, and the Gurnee Park District.

Unstable job market predicted for county

Lake County employers expect to hire at a reserved pace during the third quarter of 2005, according to the Manpower Employment Outlook Survey. Among survey participants, the Lake County employment outlook is one of the weakest in the nation.

From July to September, 17 percent of the companies interviewed plan to hire more employees, while 20 percent expect to reduce their payrolls, according to Manpower spokesperson Anne Edmunds. Another 63 percent expect to maintain their current staff levels.

"Employers in Lake County have less favorable hiring intentions than in the second quarter when 20 percent of the companies interviewed intended to add staff, and 10 percent planned to reduce headcount," said Edmunds. "Employers are significantly more cautious about hiring than they were a year ago when 27 percent of companies surveyed thought employment increases were likely and 10 percent intended to cut back."

For the coming quarter, job prospects appear best in Construction and Public Administration. Employers in Durable Goods Manufacturing and Wholesale/Retail Trade plan to reduce staffing levels, while those in Non-Durable

EMPLOYMENT OUTLOOK SURVEY

The following table shows the percentage of employers in the state of Illinois who plan to change or maintain the size of their workforce during the indicated time period. Categories are: Increase, No Change, Decrease, Don't Know, Net Increase/Decrease.

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	McHenry County	13%	50%	20%	17%	-7%	
i	Chicago	19%	63%	17%	1%	2%	
	Chicago-O'Hare	27%	66%	7%	0%	20%	
	Chicago	19%	63%	17%	1%	2%	
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Goods Manufacturing, Education and . Services voice mixed hiring intentions. Hiring in all other sectors is expected to remain unchanged.

The national results of the Manpower Employment Outlook Survey reveal that U.S. employers expect the stable hiring pattern they have reported since the beginning of the year to continue into the third quarter of 2005.

Of the 16,000 U.S. employers that were

surveyed, 31 percent expect an increase in hiring for the third quarter, while 6 percent anticipate a decrease in employment opportunities. Fifty-seven percent of companies polled foresee no change in workforce levels, and 6 percent are unsure of their staffing plans. The seasonally adjusted Net Employment Outlook for the third quarter of 2005 is identical to the second quarter and similar to a year ago.

ONTHEMOVE

Agents nab Top-20 ranking for sales Fourteen individual agents and agent

teams at RE/MAX offices in Lake County captured a RE/MAX Northern Illinois Top 20 ranking as a result of their 2004 sales performance. Again this year, both the top ranked individual and top team are from Lake County, but for both it was their first time in the top spot. **Leslie McDonnell** of RE/MAX Suburban, Libertyville, is the leading individual.

Other Top 20 individuals based on 2004 achievements are: Third place—Marsha Ulbrich of RE/MAX Unlimited Northwest in Lake Zurich. Ninth place—Cherie Smith Zurek of RE/MAX Unlimited Northwest in Lake Zurich. 11th place—Judy Fisch of RE/MAX Showcase in Long Grove. 14th place—Iynn Fairfield of RE/MAX Suburban in Libertyville. 16th place—Richard Capoccioni of RE/MAX. Center in Grayslake.

Other Lake County representatives among the Top 20 teams are: Second place—Susan Coveny of RE/MAX Prestige in Long Grove. Eighth place—Marco Amidel of RE/MAX Suburban in Libertyville. 16th place—Kieron Quane of RE/MAX Suburban in Libertyville. 17th place—Joanne Hyun of RE/MAX Top Performers in Lake Bluff.

DeMott top lead statewide coalition

Phyllis A. DeMott, who has led A Safe Place/ Lake County Crisis Center as Executive Director for 11 years, has been elected President of the Board for the Illinois Coalition Against Domestic Violence, the organization dedicated to eliminating domestic abuse in the state.

DeMott will represent a coalition of 52 member domestic violence associations, large and small, rural and urban, setting the tone to address issues affecting victims of domestic violence and the services and support they receive.

Lewis joins Showcase

Luddyne J. Lewis joined the Re/Max Showcase team. Luddyne joined Re/Max in March, 2005 and will be in the newest office located at 1095 N. Green Bay Road, in Waukegan. She has been in real estate for the past 18 years and brings a wealth of experience. Specializing in residential home sales as well as commercial properties, vacant land, new construction and rentals, real estate is not merely a job but her passion.

New agents at Keller Williams Premier Realty

Richard "Rich" Roi, a commercial real estate sales professional and Cheryl Myers, a residential real estate professional, have both joined Keller Williams Premier Realty Market Center. The move was announced by Judi Sanchez, team leader of the company.

Roi has been in the real estate industry for almost six years, primarily working in the commercial and industrial side of real estate. Myers has been a successful agent in the Lake County area for six years.

Koenig & Strey awards scholarships

John Santo, assistant branch executive of the Libertyville office of Koenig & Strey GMAC Real Estate, created the Mariner's Cove College Scholarship in 1999 as a way to give back to the community in which he lives and works.

Winners were as follows: first place— Mary Kathryn Mattingly, second place— Carl Hauck and third place—Lisa Monteer.

Timm exceeds \$5M

Dan Timm exceeded the \$5 million mark in 2005 sales production in April at Century 21 Kreuser and Seiler, reported M.J. Seiler, co-owner of the Libertyville based firm. Timm leads the office year-to-date in listings taken, units sold and dollar volume. Dan specializes in corporate relocation and has extensive experience with older homes and income property. He has been on the Board of MainStreet Libertyville, Inc. since 1999. Dan and his family live in Libertyville.

Amcore adds staff

Amcore Bank announced that **K. Jon Dexter**, has joined the company as a commercial relationship manager and officer, at its Libertyville office at 1880 W. Winchester Road, Suite 103.

NEWBUSINESS

Assumed business names

Cornel Plumbing: Sewer & Water, 65 W. Huron Tr. Round Lake Hts. 847-546-0942; Owner: Cornel Gheorghe Sighete. Purpose: Plumbing

Schrayer Sealcoat, Asphalt Maintenance and Repair, 505 High St., Wauconda, 847-815-1450. Owner: Scott Schrayer. Purpose: Sealcoat Asphalt, Repair Asphalt.

Tasa Dion, 2042 Oak Tree Trail, Lake Villa, 847-915-0256. Owner: **Diana P. Wilson**. Purpose: Dog Food, Pet Supplies and care.

Inspiring Images Photography, 26067 W. Elm Tree Rd., Antioch, 847-838-2273. Owner: Deana Case. Purpose: Photography of Weddings and Portraits

Balmer Grant Services, 101 Rose Tree Ln., Lindenhurst 847-265-7038. Owner: William Balmer. Purpose: Grant research and proposal writing for not for profit organizations.

Freywin Company, 632 Benton Rd., Lake Villa, 847-265-5364, Owner: Holly C. Frey. Purpose: Retail

Frontline Sales & Service, 716 Baxter Ct., Lake Villa, 630-664-6700. Owners: Jeremy Donarski and Keith Trimble. Purpose: Service and Sales of Commercial Cooking Equipment.

KDE Solutions, 31560 Jennifer Ln., Lakemoor, 224-623-8772. Owner: Karen Joy Floyd. Purpose: Computer System Solution Provider

Moto-Vasquez Landscaping, 682 Marine Dr., Wauconda, 847-861-4384. Owners: Emigdio Vasquez; and Volanda Mota. Purpose: Lawn Maintenance.

Anvil Contracting, 1330 Chestnut Dr., Round Lake, 847-471-2088. Owner: Robert Wargin. Purpose: Trucking and Excavating

Hair ID, 1456 W. Butterfield Rd., Mundelein and 271 W. Prairie Walk Ln, Round Lake, 847-546-0896. Owner: Young Rye Yoo. Purpose: Hair Salon

Quality Works Construction, 994
Haywood Dr., Round Lake, 224-717-9331.
Owner: Misheck M. Kiragu. Purpose:
Construction (General construction works).

ALOOKBACK

Lake County history from the Lakeland Archives



Lakeland Archives

15 YEARS AGO • 1990

Vernon Hills officials told developers they were reluctant to allow anymore strip mall developments along Route 60. In doing so, they also rejected a planned development in the area. Trustees did say they'd accept development in other parts of the village.

Fox Lake officials discussed the possibility of random drug testing for village employees and elected officials. Officials said the reason for discussing the option, is because it would lower insurance costs.

Woodland School District 50 was looking for outside consulting to help pass a referendum. School officials had not yet decided on an amount for the referendum, but agreed that it is necessary.

20 YEARS AGO • 1985

Who can resist the unforgettable melodies of a carousel? In July 1990 Elizabeth Fox, age 2 1/2, revels in a ride into fantasyland on a colorful steed.

With the help of a \$530,000 state grant the Wauconda Township Library was looking to build a new library. Officials said they were pleased to have received the grant. They had been looking at a new library for 10 years.

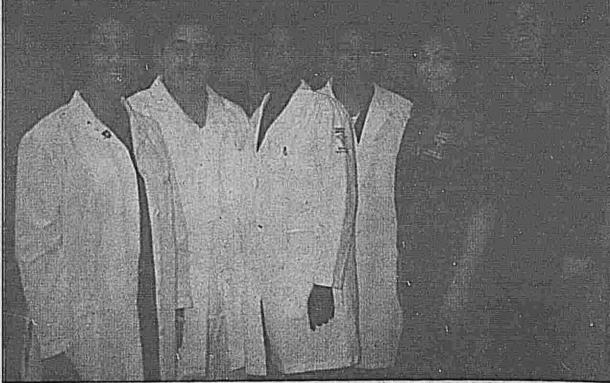
At the request of the Lake County
Housing Authority, the Village of Island
Lake was looking into adding affordable
housing. Lake Zurich, Wauconda,
Grayslake and Antioch were also looking to
add affordable housing. The housing
authority would monitor the housing.
Under new enrollment policies, students entering the College of Lake County

Under new enrollment policies, students entering the College of Lake County that fall would have to show minimal competence in writing and reading. Applicants would also have to show match skills. It was the first major change in the college's 15 years.

30 YEARS AGO • 1975

Lake Villa residents were complaining that "outsiders" were crowding local children out of Lehmann Park. Parents told village officials that swimmers fro Fox Lake, Lindenhurst and Venetian village were taking over the pools. They also complained that fishermen at a local park could injure their children with lures.

Compiled by Nicholas Alajakis



These Robert Morris College students toured Condell's facilities on an educational visit.

Robert Morris College students visit Condell

About 30 students from the medical assistant program at Robert Morris College in Waukegan recently toured the New Life Maternity Center and Emergency, Radiology and Respiratory Services Departments at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville. The tour introduced the students to the many career paths and employment opportunities available in health care.

Patricia Schultz, MD, instructor of the medical assistant program for Robert Morris College, said the two-year associate degree program often serves as a stepping-stone to further education and other healthcare professions. Career opportunities include employment at a physician's office taking patients' vital signs, drawing blood and performing simple lab tests, or working as a phlebotomist (specialist in drawing blood). Students are encouraged to continue attending Robert Morris for another two years to earn a bache-

About 30 students from the medical assistory at Robert Morris College in ukegan recently toured the New Life lor's degree or to go on for further training as X-ray technicians, respiratory therapists, nurses or other healthcare professionals.

Students complete the program having earned certification as phlebotomists, and knowing how to take patients' blood pressure, perform basic lab tests such as urinalysis, and many other healthcare competencies. Outside of the classroom they complete a 160-hour internship at a physician's office.

Student Isaiah Santana, of Zion, who is completing his internship at an obstetrician/gynecologist's office, said he became interested in health care through his mom's work at Condell's New Life Maternity Center.

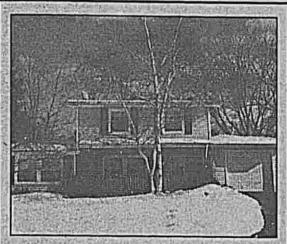
"At my internship, I take patients' blood pressure, draw blood and test urine samples," Santana said. "I like health care because I like helping people, and I feel fortunate to be able to work directly with patients as an intern."





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THIS WEEK'S SPOTLIGHT HOMES OF LAKE COUNTY



37361 Highway 59 Lake Villa \$194,500

All new windows. Nice colonial. High yard. Partly-finished full basement. Hardwood floors in living room, kitchen, dining room and family room. Nice cabinets. Sliders off family room lead to large deck and pool. Family room has woodburning stove and mantel. Lake and beach rights through association. Boat dock nearby. \$500 decorating allowance.

LR:	20X11	BR3:	11X09
DR:	11X08	OFF:	11X13
KIT:	10X11	Rooms:	8
FR:	21X11	Baths:	1.1
MBR:	14X08	Built:	_1970s
BR2	11X10		

For more infomation on this home, visit www.LakeCountyListings.com.



173 Forest Avenue Fox Lake \$495,000

First class in every way. Super-sized and lavishly appointed three-year old home with stunning lake views. No luxury has been spared. Two complete kitchens, two gas fireplaces, first-floor master bedroom with ultra bath. Huge lower level rec room with walk-out to large deck and two-level screened porch, plus upper deck off kitchen.

	Home	details	
LR:	18X15	GRT:	48X24
DR:	14X12	LDY:	10X06
KIT 1:	19X18	UTL:	18X12
KIT 2:	13X08	SCP:	26X19
MBR:	14X13	Rooms:	9
BR2	14X11	Baths:	3.1
BR3:	12X12	Built:	2002
BR4:	19X09		
	2004 tax	es; \$5,595	ATTAIL VA

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37132 Black Velvet Lane Wadsworth \$989,900

Luxury retreat among towering oaks. Home has pond, golf hole, indoor pool with wall of windows overlooking yard. Gym with basketball court. Game room with bar. Master bedroom has balcony, octagon sitting room, whirlpool bath and exercise room. Separate entry to maid's quarters. \$40,000 decorating allowance.

	Home	details	
LR:	24X15	BR5:	25X20
DR:	17X14	SIT:	13X12
KIT:	19X17	OFF:	14X14
FR:	23X17	FPR:	31X14
MBR:	32X19	Fireplac	es: 3
BR2	15X15	Rooms:	15
BR3:	15X14	Baths:	5.1
BR4:	15X14	Built:	1990s
	2004 tax	es: \$18,707	4

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Home-improvement shows dominate TV



Home-Improvement television offers an entertaining way for homeowners to get design ideas and learn tricks of the trade.

Turn on the television these days and you'll undoubtedly find a homeimprovement show. From cable channels to broadcast networks, fixing up the home and having fun in the process are the stations' main lineup of programming.

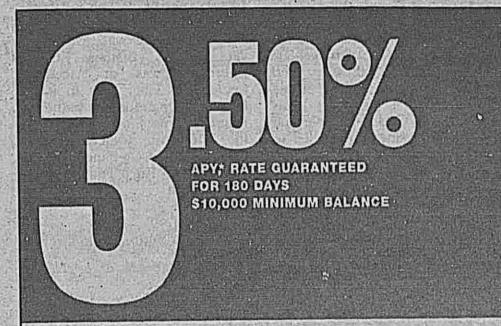
Perhaps we had an inkling of what was to come when PBS's "This Old House" became a mainstay for do-ityourselfers back in 1979. Viewers were

guided through a week-by-week transformation of homes with narration by Bob Vila and carpentry expertise by Norm Abrams. However, with the launch of shows like The Learning Channel's "Trading Spaces" and Discovery's "Surprise By Design," reality home-improvement television has catapulted into a new orbit. Stars of these shows are almost as recognizable as Hollywood stars, garnering Web sites and grouples.

The appeal of the shows is obvious-regular folks are often knee-deep in the work, allowing viewers the ability to relate to the show.

"The whole home-improvement genre has evolved into a kind of a combination between shows that are looking for laughs and they are very successful—and reality TV," says Bob Vila. "I don't think they should be considered how-to programming," says Vila, "I think they have more to do with inspirational programming, but from what I can tell, it's mostly entertainment."

The magic of television and careful editing contribute to the illusion that it can be done perfectly just a few days. In reality improvements may take longer and have more roadblocks, especially for beginners.



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Don R. Hartmann

Age 79 of St. James City, Fla., formerly of Antioch, passed away Monday July 11, 2005 at his home. He was born in Chicago, the son of the late Julius and Elsie (Kruger) Hartmann. In 1954 he married Jeanne Sharett in Chicago and they operated Don's Four Aces in Channel Lake, Antioch retiring in 1995. He served in the US Air Force during the Korean Conflict

Survivors include a son, Dennis Hartmann of Antioch; a daughter, Cheryl Massimo of Vancouver, Wash.; six grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife, Jeanne on June 29, 1998 and by two brothers..

Graveside service with Military Honors will be held at 3 p.m., Friday, July 15, at Highland Memorial Park, (Route 120 and Hunt Club Road.) Libertyville. There will be no visitation. Arrangements entrusted to Strang Funeral Home of Antioch.

Patricia Sarah Harloff

Age 74 of Leisure Village, Fox Lake, passed away Tuesday, July 5, 2005 at Condell Medical Center, Libertyville. She was born in Dundee, the daughter of Gene and Gertrude (Meading) Colbert. Patricia had worked for International Harvester Libertyville, as office support for 30 years.

Survivors include three children:
Linda (Peter) Marra of Antioch,
Debbie (Jack) Benson of Ingleside,
and Scott (Karen) Harloff of St.
Charles; her mother Gertrude (Gene)
Fogarett of Boynton Beach, Fla.; six
grandchildren and two great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by
her son Mark Harloff; her father
Gene Colbert and a brother.

Funeral services and interment were private. Arrangements were entrusted to the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch. Those desiring may make donations to the American Cancer Society in her memory.

Geraldine Anne Nicoline

Age 72 of Round Lake Beach, passed away Monday afternoon, July 4, 2005 at her home. She was born in Chicago to Gerhardt and Mildred {nee Benz} Schmook She was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Round Lake Park since 1956.

Survivors include her children; Kathy (Allen) Myren of Gurnee, Clyde (Debbie) Nicoline of McHenry, Don (Karen) Nicoline of Johnsburg, Jim (Joanna) Nicoline of Round Lake Beach, and Nancy (Ronald) Kress of Round Lake Park; her beloved grandchildren; her great-grandson Jacob, hêr siblings; her brothers and sisters-in-law. Her aforementioned parents precede her in death.

Friends of the family visited on July 7 from 4-9 p.m. at Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium in Grayslake. The funeral was held at St. Paul Lutheran Church, in Round Lake Park, on July 8, viewing from 10 a.m. until the time of the funeral service at 10:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the St. Paul Lutheran Church's Christian Education Fund, 420 N Greenwood, Round Lake Park, IL

Merry May Mass

Age 87, of Bristol, Wis., passed away Tuesday, July 5, 2005 at Hospitality Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Kenosha, Wis. She was born in Blue Mound, the daughter of the late Harris and Naola Florence (Edwards) Revis and had lived in Arkdale, Wis. for many years before settling at Rainbow Lakes Manor in Bristol, Wis. in 1997.

Survivors include: her two sons: Phillip (Roberta) Mass of Gurnee, and Duane Mass of Milwaukee, Wis.; nine grandchildren, and 10 great grandchildren. In addition to her parents she is preceded in death by two sons Dale Green, and Jerry Mass; two brothers, and two sisters.

Funeral Service was held at 1 p.m., July 7, at Strang Funeral Home of Antioch in Antioch. Interment was in Avon Centre Cemetery, Lake Villa. Visitation was held from noon July 7, until time of service at the funeral home.

Farrell Brendan O'Rourke

Age 21, a student at University of Akron, passed away suddenly June 2, 2005 from an auto accident. Loving son of Mary Ellen, (nee McCarthy) (Leo Riley) of Lindenhurst, and James O'Rourke; brother of Colleen J. O'Rourke; cousin and nephew to many; grandson of (the late) Robert L. and Rita J. O'Rourke and James P. and Ann M. McCarthy, (nee Chambers.) He was

a U.S. Navy Veteran. Funeral Service was held June 8 in The McGorray Bros. Funeral Home of Lakewood, in Lakewood, Ohio at 11 a.m. Interment was held at Holy Cross Cemetery. Friends called at the funeral home June 7, from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, July 23 at the Prince of Peace Catholic Church, 135 S. Milwaukee Ave., Lake Villa, at 10 a.m. The family suggests memorials in his memory may be made to St. Harman House of Hospitality, 4410 Franklin Blvd., Cleveland, OH 44113.

Donald C. Hallerud

Age 60 of Lombard, died July 5, 2005 at Edward Hines V.A., Hospital, in Hines.

A memorial gathering was held July 9 from noon-4 p.m. at Brust Funeral Home in Lombard.

Mr. Hallerud is survived by his son, Thomas (Monica) of Lombard; his daughter, Erin Lynn Davidson of Lombard; three grandchildren, Kristen, Joshua and Maggie; two sisters, Barbara and Beverly and two brothers, George and David.

Mr. Hallerud was a resident of Lombard since 1968. He had grown up in Mundelein and was a graduate of Mundelein High School, Mr. Hallerud had attended Loyola University. He worked as an Industrial Engineer for Motorola and Northrop Industries. Mr. Hallerud was a veteran of the U.S. Army

Memorials to Edward Hines VA Hospital, 5th Ave. and Roosevelt Rd., Hines VA 60141, Voluntary Services would be appreciated.

Arrangements were made by the Brust Funeral Home, 135 S. Main St., Lombard.

Ann T. Bailey

Age 69 of Libertyville, passed away Thursday, July 7, 2005 at her home. Ann was a former employee of J.C. Penney's at Lakehurst.

She was the beloved wife of Harold Bailey; loving mother of Ann (Wayne) Taylor and devoted grandmother of two. She was also the dear aunt of six nephews and nieces. She is preceded in death by her parents, James and Ellen (nee Finneran) Donnellan; by a sister and a brotherin-law and by a brother.

Prayers began at 9:30 a.m., July 12 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville and services continued to St. Joseph Church in Libertyville for the Funeral Mass at 10 a.m. Visitation was from 4-7 p.m. on July 11 at the funeral home. Memorial contributions can be made to either St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital or Condell Hospice in her memory.

Robert S. Clark

Age 55 of Wauconda, died Friday, July 8, 2005 at Good Shepherd Hospital in Barrington. Mr. Clark was a 1968 graduate of Wauconda High School.

He was the beloved husband of Rochelle "Shelly" (nee Vasey); loving father of Michelle (Brian) Cednick and Katherine (William Shadron) Clark; cherished grandfather of three.

Funeral Service was held at 11 a.m., July 13 at Kisselburg-Wauconda Funeral Home in Wauconda. Burial was in Wauconda Cemetery in Wauconda. Visitation was from 4-9 p.m., July 12 at the funeral home.

George F. Pedersen

Age 60 of Round Lake Park, passed away suddenly Monday, July 4, 2005 at his home. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, later re-enlisting and served in the Army. He retired after 20 years of service in the military, having been with the military police and served in Vietnam.

Surviving are his brother, Jack Pedersen of Round Lake Park and his sister, Diane Maltzhan of Florida. He is preceded in death by his parents, Harold and Juanita Pedersen.

Private service were from the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville with interment at Warren Cemetery in Skokie.

Victoria Susanna 'Sue' Brown (nee Campbell)

Age 56 of Vernon Hills, passed away July 6, 2005 at her home of complications from breast cancer.

After 33 years of marriage, Sue leaves her husband, Gary and daughter Susannah Victoria "Susie," at home; her mother Doris Foresman of Blackwell, Okla; and two brothers. She is preceded in death by her father, Clifford Campbell.

A visitation was from 4-7 p.m., July 9 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville. Services and interment was on July 12 in

Blackwell, Okla. Memorial contributions can be made to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, P.O. Box 769, Hillside, IL 60162.

George J. Kavanaugh

Age 92, of Fox Lake died Tuesday, July 5, 2005 at the Winchester House Nursing Home in Libertyville. He was born in Chicago, to George and Mary (nee O'Dwyer) Kavanaugh and was a veteran of WWII having served in the U.S. Army. On Oct. 2, 1948, he married Norma Weigel in Chicago.

He is survived by his son Raymond (Elaine) Kavanaugh of McHenry, with whom he had made his home for many years; his grandchildren and one great grandson. He is preceded in death by his wife, Norma; his brothers; his sisters and his parents.

Interment was private. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m., on Saturday, July 16 at St. Bede Catholic Church, 36455 N. Wilson Rd., Ingleside. Arrangements were handled by the K. K. Hamsher Funeral Home in Fox Lake (The Chapel on the Lake) Memorials for St. Bede Catholic Church Capital Campaign will be appreciated by the family in lieu of flowers.

Catherine Freese

Age 95 of Waukegan, passed away on Sunday, July 3, 2005 at the Terrace Nursing Home in Waukegan. She had worked in civil service at Great Lakes Naval Training Center for 15 y ears.

Catherine is survived by her children, Mary Virginia Fulton of Waukegan, Philip Freese of Waukegan and John (Joyce) Freese of Phoenix, Ariz.; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and two sisters. She is preceded in death by her husband, Vincent Freese in 1972; her parents, Joseph and Bertha Wooke and two brothers.

Funeral Mass was held in private at St. Dismas Church. Interment was at Ascension Cemetery in Libertyville. In lieu of flowers, donations in Catherine Freese's memory, may be made to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements were handled by the Peterson and Patch Funeral Home in Waukegan.

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Michael J. Dolister

Age 61 of Vernon Hills, passed away suddenly, Tuesday, July 5, 2005 at his home. He had been a Little League Baseball umpire for 30 years with the Vernon Hills Park District.

Surviving are his wife, Linda Dolister of Vernon Hills and many friends. He is preceded in death by his parents, Donald and Elizabeth Dolister.

Funeral service was held at 1 p.m., July 9 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville. Visitation was from 11 a.m. until the time of services on July 9. Memorial contributions can be made to the Diabetes Association in his memory.

Adele J. Spilis

Age 83 of Libertyville, passed away Wednesday, July 6, 2005 at her home.

Surviving are her husband Sigmund Spilis and four children, David (Betsy) Spilis of Germantown, Md., Joan Spilis of Round Lake, John (Jan) Spilis of Playa Del Rey, Calif. And Mary Bennett of Mundelein; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents, August and Wanda Kortas and by two brothers.

Mass of Christian Burial was held at 11:30 a.m., July 9 at St. Mary of the Annunciation Catholic Church in Mundelein. Visitation was from 4-8 p.m. July 8 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville and for one hour prior to Mass, July 9 at the church. Entombment followed at Warren Cemetery in Gurnee. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Parkinson's Disease Foundation.

Helen K. Appelt

Age 78 of Wadsworth, passed away June 22, 2005. Cause of death was a losing battle with ovarian cancer.

She is survived by her husband, Raymond; a son, Kenneth; and three daughters, Karen (William) Crawford, Nancy (John) Niemietz and Janice (Michael) Grinyer; nine grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and many other relatives and friends. She is preceded in death by her parents, Peter and Catherine Batura; her sister, Sister Beatine (Felician Order) and a sister, Jean Dale.

A Memorial Mass was held at St. Patrick Church in Wadsworth on July 9. Friends and family members gathered from 9-10 a.m. in the vestibule of the church to reminisce and comfort one another. The Memorial Mass was held at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Patrick School, Wadsworth or the American Cancer Society. The Salata Funeral Home of Gurnee handled the arrangements.

Robert D. 'Bob' Harvey



Age 77 of Gurnee, died Tuesday, July 5, 2005 at Victory Memorial Hospital in Waukegan. He was a veteran of the Army Air Force having served in the Korean Conflict.

He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Harriett; a son, Ken (Cindy) Harvey; a daughter, Barbara (Rick) Booker; grandchildren; great granddaughters; a brother and a

Visitation was from 5-8 p.m., July 7 at the Salata-Gurnee Funeral Home in Gurnee. Services were held at 10 a.m., July 8 at the Salata-Gurnee Funeral Home followed by interment at Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

Denise E. Deadrick

Age 49 of Gurnee, passed away Monday,

July 4, 2005 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville. Denise worked as a supervisor at the Lake County Circuit Clerk's office in Waukegan for 18 years.

Surviving are her parents; stepson, Jamie Deadrick of Lake County; her beloved bassett hound, Henry; a brother; sisters; mother-in-law, Marian Deadrick of Gurnee; and many other relatives and friends. She is preceded in death by her husband, Kevin J.

Friends met with the family on July 8 from 5-9 p.m. at Warren Funeral Home in Gurnee with Rev. Lisle Kauffman from Calvary Church in Round Lake officiating. Funeral service was held at 10 a.m., July 9 at the funeral home. Burial followed at Warren Cemetery and Mausoleum in Gurnee. Memorial contributions may be made to any research foundation for Ovarian Cancer.

Joseph J. 'Smokey' Musich



Age 79 of Waukegan, died July 2, 2005. He graduated from Waukegan Township High School and enlisted in the Army Air Force getting an honorable discharge in 1948.

He is survived by his wife of 41 years, Judith (Zupancic) Musich; sons, William (JoAnn) Shoenefelt of Clearwater, Fla. and Mark (Susan) Musich of Antioch; a daughter, Marcia (Ed) Schwall of Gurnee; 11 grandchildren; and two sisters. He is preceded in death by his parents, Lawrence and Frances (nee Jeraj) Musich; a sister and two brothers.

Visitation was held at 10 a.m., July 7 until the time of memorial service at 11 a.m. at Marsh Funeral Home in Waukegan. Interment was private.

Norma J. Schaufel

Age 73 of Waukegan passed away on July 4, 2005 at Victory Hospital in Waukegan. Born the daughter of Peter Finstad and Leone Finstad Dutcher of Evansville, Wis.

Survived by her husband, Clyde; son, Steve (Dawn); grandchildren and many other relatives and friends.

Visitation was from 4-8 p.m., July 6 at the Marsh Funeral Home in Waukegan. Graveside service was held at 1 p.m., July 7 at Maple Hill Cemetery in Evansville, Wis. In lieu of flowers, donations to the American Lung Association would be appreciated.

Susan Nedene Gattuso

Age 47, passed away peacefully on July 10, 2005, at her home in Fox Lake. She was born in Bay Village, Ohio, to Carol and the late Walter Munn. She received her nursing degree and worked as a school nurse at Thompson School in Lake Villa.

Sue is survived by her husband of 27 years, Sam; her three children Tina (Josh), Steven, and Kristen; and her cherished grandson. Other survivors include her mother, Carol Munn; two brothers; her mother-in-law, Mary; her sister-in-law; her brother-in-law; and 11 nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her father, Walter Munn, and her father-inlaw Sam Gattuso Sr..

A Funeral mass was held at 10 a.m., July 14, at St. Bede Church in Ingleside. Interment was held immediately after the service at Ascension Catholic Cemetery. Friends of the family visited on July 13, from 3-9 p.m. at Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium in Grayslake. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her name to the St. Jude's Children Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place Memphis, TN 38105 or St. Bede

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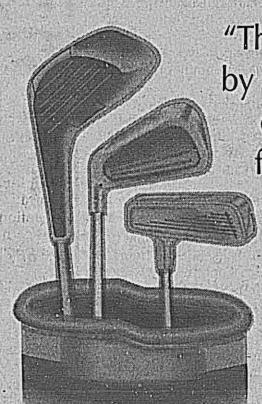
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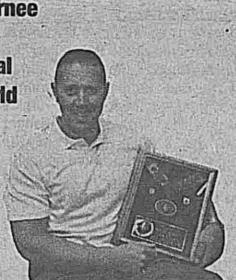
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The doctor is in

Former Libertyville resident returns to treat area athletes

By Rob Backus

Sports Editor

hile injuries can occur anywhere—at offices, at construction sites, or on the battlefield in Iraq—sports injuries are the most public, and undoubtedly the most memorable.

Any football fan knows of the gruesome leg injury that ended Joe Theismann's career in 1985 or the near-crippling hit that Leonard Marshall laid on Joe Montana in the 1991 NFC Championship Game. And most hoops fans know the tale of former UConn star and WNBA player Shea Ralph, whose knees got so bad that she once tore her ACL, for the fourth time in four years, playing with her dog.

America's pastime has had its share of famous injuries over the years, too. Former Yankees and Dodgers great Tommy John even had a surgery named after him after blowing out his elbow in 1974. Cubs' fireballer Kerry Wood underwent that very surgery after his elbow popped in a Spring

Training game in 1999, a moment any Cub fan will recall with horror,

But for every sports injury clip repeated on SportsCenter ad nauseum, there are hundreds of thousands more injuries that go unnoticed by the public. Sprained knees, shoulder tendonitis, concussions, etc. Any athlete who competes long enough will get to know these injuries well.

That's where Dr. Christopher Amann comes in. Amann, who works with seven other doctors at the Illinois Bone and Joint Institute in Libertyville, has seen hundreds of area athletes since joining the practice in 2000. And business is

booming.

"I usually see between 80 and 100 patients a week and 50 to 60 percent of those are high school athletes. And we take in between four and 500 patients a week total," Amann said. "It's especially busy right now. The summer's usually the time when people start taking care of themselves."

And although he'll treat anyone, from children to senior citizens, Amann has a special affinity for athletes. After all, he was one, dating back to his youth soccer days with the Greater Libertyville Soccer Association and his high school career in Michigan, where he moved after eighth grade.

"With my exposure to athletes, I wanted to give back to the people I saw get injured," said Amann, who graduated from the Stritch School of Medicine at Loyola University. "Sports medicine is something I wanted to do. I always wanted to work with athletes."

And he's been doing exactly that in his five years at the practice. He was initially the team physician for Mundelein High School, and has since added scores of athletes from Carmel, Grayslake, Antioch, Vernon Hills, Grant, Stevenson and Lake Forest high schools. He will also serve as team physician for Lakes Community High School starting this fall.

But don't let the name of his practice-fool you. He treats many things besides bones and joints.

"I see a lot of things here; heart, lungs, concussions. As part of our training we learn how to treat a lot of different areas; pretty much the whole body," Amann said. "We're kind of a one-stop shop for patients. We have an open MRI room and a physical

therapy room."

Though surgery is sometimes necessary for patients, and the facility has physicians who will perform them, Amann prefers to take a different route.

"I'm a non-operative physician, so I take more of a holistic approach to medicine," Amann said. "Statistically, 90 percent of sports injuries are non-operative, so my training is in all the various non-surgical options. A lot of NFL teams have non-operative specialists as their main physicians."

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With that in mind, Amann has taken to heart recent studies from the Santa Monica ACL Injury Prevention Project and the Cincinnation of the Cincinn

"It teaches legs how to accelerate and turn appropriately," Amann said. "When an athlete slows down and turns 'I grew up in this area and I have family here. I've always been fond of this place, so I decided this was the place for me. I want to continue developing this practice.'

Dr. Christopher Amann Physician for the Illinois Bone and Joint Institute in Libertyville

at the same time, something has to give and it's usually the knee. These injuries are not unavoidable, but they are preventable."

Vernon Hills senior Laura Nardini, one of Amann's patients, knows exactly what

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Preventing knee injuries

Knee injuries, specifically injuries to the Anterior Cruciate Ligament (ACL), can be among the most debilitating injuries an athlete can suffer, but can also be prevented, according to Dr. Christopher Amann of the Illinois Bone and Joint Institute in Libertyville.

Did you know?

- Each year in the U.S., 1 in 100 high school female athletes will suffer a serious knee injury.
- Estimates are that 250,000 such injuries occur every year, most commonly among 15- to 25-year-old females.
- Female athletes suffer ACL injuries at a rate two to ten times that of males, depending upon the sport.
- Among high school athletes, ACL injuries are the most common serious knee injury, with about 20,000 occurring every year in the United States.
- Nearly 80 percent of ACL injuries in females occur without contact, while non-contact ACL injuries represent a minority of injuries in males.

Two organizations have produced studies on ACL prevention in recent years. Those studies have shown that the occurrence of serious knee injuries can be radically reduced with simple leg strengthening and plyometric exercises.

For more information on these studies and their ACL prevention programs, visit the Santa Monica Orthopaedic and Sports Medicine Group at www.aclprevent.com or the Cincinnati Sportsmetrics Program at www.sportsmetrics.net.

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Dan Patrick • Sports Reporter

Bank on it: Sex sells in sports

ithin the world of profession all sports, the classic funk group "The O'Jays" said it best: Money, it all becomes less about the competition and more about the endorsement deals. The incessant greed of the highest tier of sports has long turned off many fans, including myself.

While a growing number of athletes are building bankrolls larger than some countries' Gross Domestic Products, there is an underlying problem that demands notice. Women have lessened the earnings gap by a large degree in every sector except for the highest earners, and professional athletes are certainly no exception to the rule.

The sports world has long been dominated by the male-kind in earnings and endorsements and there isn't an end in sight. According to the recent Forbes Top Celebrities list, Annika Sorenstam made \$7.3 million in winnings and endorsements from June 2004 to June 2005 while Tiger Woods racked up \$87 million in the same span, despite both carrying comparable resumes as golfers. Woods himself has publicly spoken about the quality and power of Sorenstam's game, yet her salary sits at less than a tenth of her male counterpart.

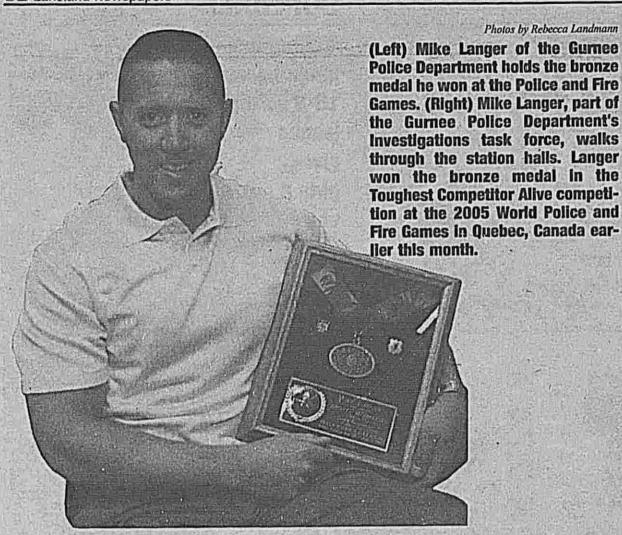
However, there have been exceptions to the rule. While she's only been on the radar since last year, Russian tennis star Maria Sharapova scored \$18.2 million. The Indy Racing League's Danica Patrick has also become an extremely hot commodity despite being in her rookie season.

While I'm certainly a fan of Patrick given her parents' extreme intelligence in the naming department, there is one obvious reason these two women are scoring more money than most professional female athletes will see in their entire careers — sex. It seems that the only

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Vernon Hills High School senior soccer player Laura Nardini talks with Dr. Christopher Amann about her recent knee surgery, her second in two years, at the Illinois Bone and Joint Institute in Libertyville.



One tough cop

Gurnee police officer medals,in 2005 World Police and Fire Games

By Dan Patrick

Sports Reporter

ike Langer didn't earn the "Toughest Competitor Alive" mantra for nothing. The Gurnee officer placed himself amongst the world's greatest with a bronze medal finish at the 2005 World Police and Fire Games in Quebec.

The Toughest Competitor Alive competition reads like a gym teacher's handbook with numerous track and field events peppered with swimming, climbing weightlifting competitions. The running portion of the competition involves a 5-K cross-country run, a 100meter dash and an obstacle course run. The strength portion includes a shot put throw, a 20-foot hands-free rope climb, a pull-up competition and a bench press maxout. Finally, Langer and his fellow competitors are subjected to a 100-meter swim all in one day.

"It's pretty rough because all eight events are done in the same day," Langer said. "It's not all in one shot, but it can be hard. We start at 7 a.m. and we go through all of the different events through the day."

As with all sporting events, the actual competition is truly only half the battle. In order to maintain the stamina for such a grueling competition, Langer works throughout the year honing his skills.

"It varies during the winter months, you train for the strength, in the spring, you get the weight back down and work on the speed events," Langer said. "It varies by the time of the year and what areas I need to work on. If there's a problem area with me, I know to focus on that before I get ready for competition."

The TCA event list may seem like a one-person track meet, but surprisingly enough, Langer never had any prior experience with the sport. Despite never suiting

up for any track team, Langer posted a 12.32-second 100-meter time, threw 38-4 in the shot and ran 22:21 in the 5K—not too shabby for a person in his 30's.

"I wasn't a track and field person, I just did the normal football, basketball, baseball routine," Langer said. "It did take a little bit to get some technique down, but it's mostly just a little strength exercise and throw it as far as you can."

His bronze medal finish in last year's event may impress, but the history behind his accolades make them even more impressive. During the Barcelona games, Langer succumbed to 97-degree heat during the opening 5K—but still managed a fourth-place finish in his division.

"I had high hopes to do well coming into the (2005) competition, but I still had a little fear," Langer said, "In 2003, I suffered heat exhaustion and collapsed and was out for about 40 minutes. It was 97 degrees at 7 in the morning and I crawled across the finish line, so it made the rest of the competition unbearable."

Unbearable as it may have been, it was actually the pain factor that drew Langer into the competition in the first place. Langer deliberately chose the Toughest Competitor Alive portion out of a massive roster of events.

"I found out about (The World Police and Fire Games) in 2001 when one of my fellow officers brought back this huge magazine and it had a catalog for the games," Langer said. "It had every Olympic sport and then some and you could choose any option. I looked and saw TCA and I knew that was it because I'm always going to try something that's the hardest."

The tough finish was also a major learning experience for the world class athlete. Because of his finish, Langer knew to pace himself, leading to his best finish since he began competition in 2001.

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I knew to take it easy on the 5K and go from there. After I finished the 5K, I felt strong so I knew that I could really go for it for the rest of the competition. As far as point totals go, I totally crushed what I did last year.'

Mike Langer Gurnee police officer and bronze medalist in the 2005 World Police and Fire Games

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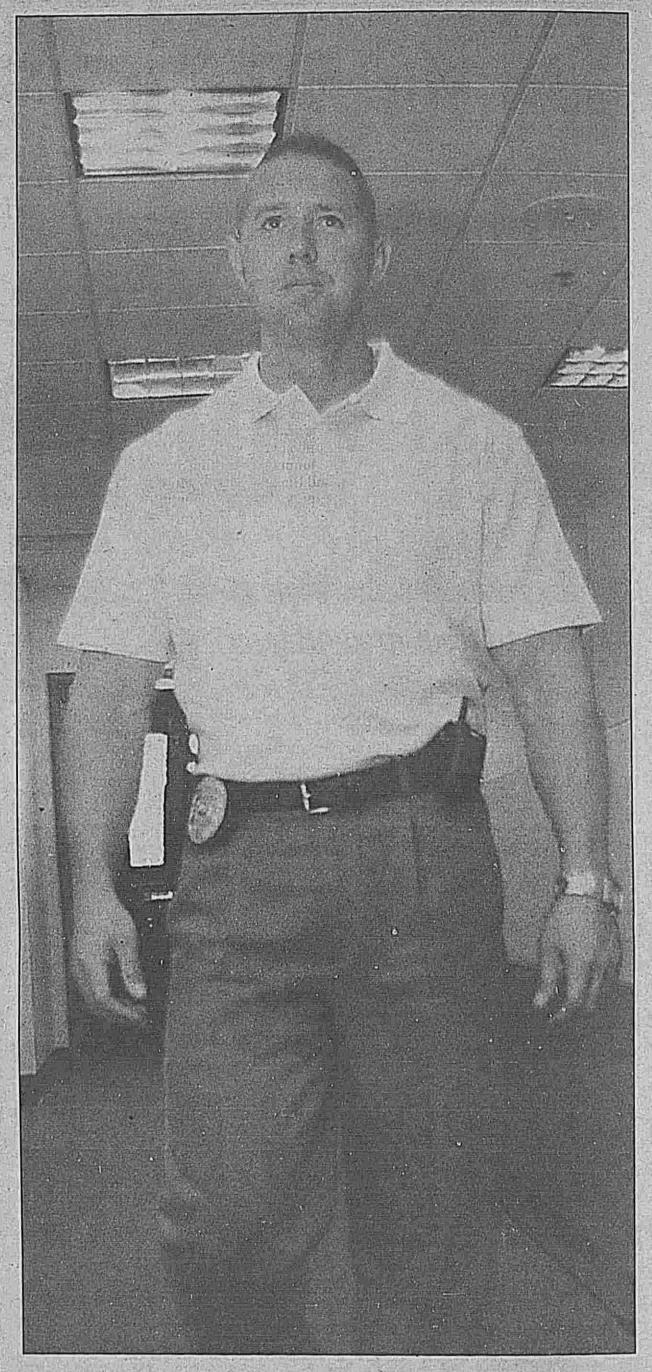
While the bronze medal will always be a rallying point for Langer, the real reward was the friendship he's made with fellow peace makers all over the world.

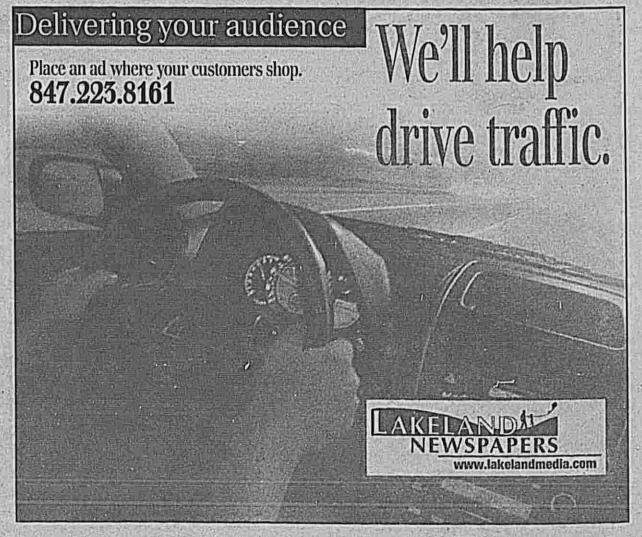
"The best part about it is the camaraderie with all of the guys," Langer said. "I always enjoy going out there and it's just a really good experience. I take my family to every Olympics, and they go around meeting all of these people from all over the world.

"It's like a brotherhood, we keep in contact through emails and it's kind of nice to see some of the familiar faces," Langer added. "I have a friend in Queensland, Australia and I've seen him since Indy in 2001, the one in Barcelona from Hong Kong, it's kind of cool to see some of the same guys

The athletic field has long been a bastion for friendships, but in the end, Langer's goal remains the same: excellence.

"In 2007, I'm just hoping to change the color of the medal," he said.





Are you experienced?

Waukegan softball's answer is a resounding 'Yes'

By Rob Backus

Sports Editor

hile some teams might judge a 14-15 season as being mediocre, Waukegah's softball squad saw it as not only a success, but as a harbinger of things to come. And the Bulldogs have every reason to be confident.

Sure, the Bulldogs lost a quartet of solid players to graduation, including three-year starter Katie Colver and All-Lakeland selection Nicole Holland, but they will return everyone else for a run at the school's first winning record in recent memory. Last season was already seen as a monumental step forward for a team that won just nine games combined the previous two seasons.

Waukegan coach Shane Schueneman credited much of last season's success to the fielding of the school's first summer travel team in 2004, feeling it gave many of the players, many of whom had little or no varsity play under their belts, some much-needed experi-

While players from most area high schools scatter to travel teams all over Lake County and McHenry counties over the summer, Waukegan has the luxury of keeping much of its team intact on the 16-U Dawgs. In fact, just three players, Niko O'Neal, Shavonne Ross and Jazmin Payne, who are all on the Wauconda ICE, play for a different team, while senior Crestina Perez is too old to suit up for the Dawgs.

Conveniently, Schueneman also coaches the Dawgs, giving him more than 70 games with his players from March through the end of this

"The summer has been very valuable to the program," Schueneman said. "It gives the players a lot more experience and it really helped us last season. I think it will help us again this year."

Junior Haley Krueger agreed,

saying: "Last year definitely helped us because it gave a lot of the sophomores a chance to play some more games together before the spring. And now we get to work together even more this summer."

It appears Waukegan is ready to build on last year's progress as it currently sports a 14-12 record after competing in several tournaments and against six other 16-U teams in the newly-formed Lake County Girls' Fastpitch League.

"The summer's been going pretty good and the girls are all getting more experience," Schueneman said. "The great thing about league play is the fact that everyone gets atbats and gets in the game."

Waukegan's tournament record is also respectable as it finished 9th in a tough 18-team event in Kankakee and 2-2 at tourneys in Wauconda and Rockford. The Dawgs have two remaining tournaments, one in Vernon Hills next week and the Cheesehead Invite in Racine, Wis. later this month.

Though the team is missing three of its best players this summer, junior Liz Colver feels that just shows how strong they'll be when the spring rolls around.

"The fact that we're winning without three of our best players shows we have a lot of talent here," Colver said.

According to Schueneman, the Dawgs could be even better if they were only able to execute better in key situations at the plate.

"We haven't been executing or getting the key hit when we needed it," Schueneman said. "But a lot of our work at the plate is with fundamentals. We bunt a lot because we want the players to get the experience of doing it in game situations."

He has been pleased with both his team's defense, which has the help of Highland Park products Shannon Sullivan and Amy Azzi, and its pitching, with the continued emergence of recent grade school graduate Stephanie Rieuwpassa.

"She's done the bulk of the pitching for us and she's done a

'All the kids in school used to look down on us, but when you get these girls together and show we can compete, it shows the school that we have potential. A lot of baseball players have been rooting for us and coming to our games and we've been doing the same for them. Now, instead of kids just assuming we lost, they're coming up to us and asking how we did the next day.'

> Liz Colver Waukegan junior softball player

good job," Schueneman said. "Jen Jensen has also thrown some innings, but she's had some control problems. But will be nice to have some pitching depth with Steph, Jen and Niko. It's something Waukegan hasn't had in a long time."

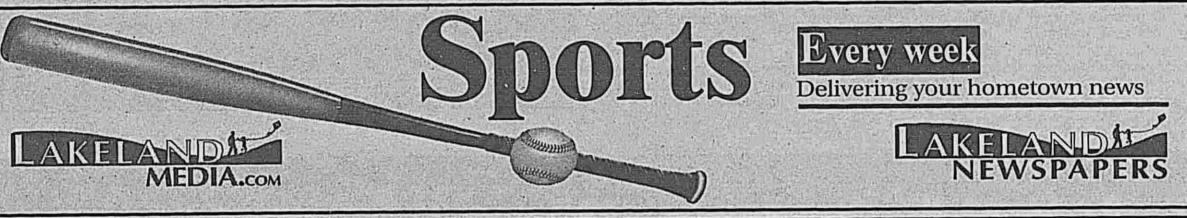
Nor have they had a winning season, but that will change if this group of players has anything to say about it. In fact, Colver says the team has already generated a bit of buzz around the school.

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(Above) Members of the 16-U Waukegan Dawgs keep an eye on the action in a home game against the Libertyville Cats on Tuesday. (Below) Waukegan's Amy Grutemacher fouls off a pitch in a home game against the 16-U Libertyville Cats on Tuesday.







Cats clawing way back to the top

Libertyville 16-U softball squad qualifies for USSSA World Series

By Rob Backus

Sports Editor

hough it hasn't necessarily translated into success for the varsity team, softball interest is definitely booming in Libertyville. Five years ago, the town fielded just one 12-U softball team, though many of its players were much younger than that.

This summer there are five travel teams, ranging from 10-U all the way up to 16-U, with many of the girls on this year's 16-U Cats team coming from that original 12-U squad. And Cats' coach Mary Hoyer has been with

them every step of the way.
"The difference in the girls from then until now is night and day," said Hoyer, who also serves as assistant varsity coach for the high school. "It's been great to see them grow into talented players. But anyone can have tal-ent; these kids all have an inner drive and a passion for the game. They all want to take that next step."

And that next step is one back into contention in the North Suburban Conference. With their performance this summer, the Cats appear well on their way. Though Libertyville is just two games above .500, it's the team's tournament play that has the players looking forward to next season.

The Cats opened the summer with a top-four finish in a tough tourney in Racine, Wis. and followed that up with a consolation title at a tournament in Wauconda, which earned them a berth in the USSSA World Series in Columbus, Ind. later this month.

'Our first goal was to finish over .500 and so far, so good. Our second goal was a **World Series berth** like last year and we did that And our third goal is to do better than we did last year (2-2) and I think we will.'

> Mary Hoyer Libertyville 16-U softball coach

Hoyer had three goals for her team heading into the summer, and it's already nailed two of them.

"Our first goal was to finish over .500 and so far, so good," Hoyer said. "Our second goal was a World Series berth like last year and we did that. And our third goal is to do better than we did last year (2-2) and I think we will."

"It's really exciting," junior Gina DeMarco said. "We've improved a lot and grown together as a team. Last spring didn't look like a successful season on paper, but most of our losses were close. The way we've played this summer will give us confidence next year, especially if we do well in the World

Hoyer agrees that summer success can only help the team as it heads into next

spring.

"It's been important to get
a winning trend into the program," Hoyer said. "The girls

seem more relaxed since we've been winning. Plus it's helped that we've had everyone healthy after losing our starting battery (pitcher Michelle Lechy and catcher Emily Field) to injuries during the year. We're finally able to field a consistent lineup."

"Consistent" appears to be the right word to describe the lineup as the Cats have been pounding the ball throughout much of the summer.

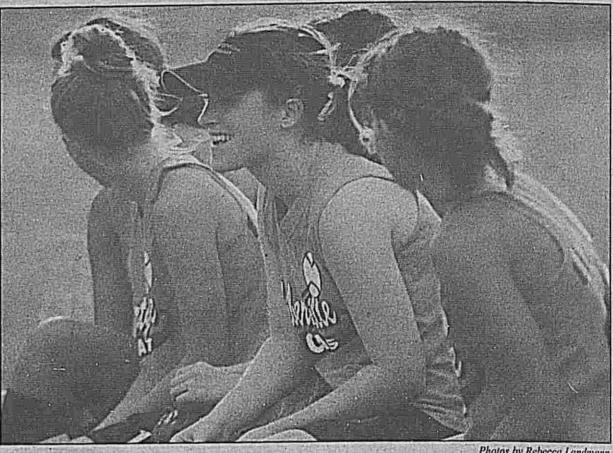
"Kat Bernard is our leadoff hitter and she always seems to find a way to get on base," Hoyer said. "Emily Field is back and she's hitting great. Katy Pfund is hitting fourth or fifth in our lineup and she's been hitting the ball hard all summer. Katie Larson has developed into a phe-nomenal player and is our leading hitter. And Shannon Wilkins, our number two pitcher, has had some key hits

Hoyer has also been pleased with the pitching, led by Wilkins, Bernard and ace DeMarco.

"Gina's developed so much the last two years," Hoyer said. "She works so hard and that's where the success comes from. She has four or five pitches and she works hard on all of them. She's the leader of this team and she

will be in the spring."
Whether or not the Cats outperform last year's showing at the World Series, one thing's clear. They're certainly enjoying that winning feeling.

"It's been so much fun," said Larson, who was just 9 when she played for that first 12-U team five years ago. "We struggled a lot that first summer, now everyone's improved so much, especially our pitchers. Nationals are going to be a lot of fun."



(Above) Members of the 16-U Libertyville Cats softball team share a laugh in a game against the Waukegan Dawgs at Waukegan West High School on Tuesday. (Below) Nikki Velez of the 16-U Libertyville Cats tries to block home plate as Waukegan's Shannon Sullivan slides in safely in a game at Waukegan West High School on Tuesday.



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Blazing a trail for success

Grayslake softball team building up for run next summer

By Rob Backus

Sports Editor

t's been proven throughout sports history that losing can become a habit. Just ask the Chicago Cubs.

A few defeats can snowball into a season-long funk, and can shake the confidence of a team for months or years to come. With that in mind, Bill Miller, coach of the 16-U Grayslake Blazers softball team, has taken a different approach this summer.

Knowing his team is made up of sophomore girls playing competition who are mostly juniors, Miller wanted to spare his players any heartache that prolonged losing can

"This is the 'take it easy' year because we're young," Miller said. "If we played a 40-game schedule like most teams we'd get beat a lot. This summer is all about learning to play together. But next year we'll be ready to compete with anyone."

made the right decision.

"If we play as a team, we'll make it to the top and we're learning how to do that," Grayslake North sophomore Bridget Clarke said. "We all trust each other and I think playing up a level will really help us for next year."

With the Blazers currently more than 10 games under .500, one look at their stat sheet will tell you the reason why. Taryn Miller currently leads the team with a .400-plus average, and the next highest average is below .280. As a team, Grayslake is hitting an anemic .216.

"Our defense has been solid and our pitching has been good," Miller said. "If we could hit, we'd have a winning record."

Still, the Blazers could be near .500 had they not lost six one-run games throughout the summer.

"We need to learn how to win those close games," Miller said. "The girls know how to win from previous experience but the bottom line is the pitching we're facing. We're facing

Miller's team is convinced he varsity or JV pitchers and we haven't been able to hit the ball."

> Clarke feels her team's inability to play a complete game has contributed to its poor record.

'Some games we're phenomenal at pitching and defense and some games we're great at the plate," Clarke said. "We need both. And sometimes we play well all game then we make one error and it's over. We need to do what we can to hold it together."

Miller was given a glimpse of how good his team could be earlier this summer when they took the 15-U consolation title at a tournament in Wauconda. They then took on the 16-U winner and won.

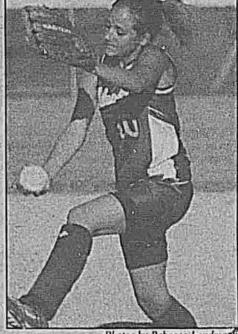
"That was the highlight of the summer because it showed what can happen when we're focused on playing our best ball," Miller said. "We're not winning as much as we'd like this summer, but this is still a great bunch of girls. They're all having fun and they enjoy playing together."

'If we play as a team, we'll make it to the top and we're learning how to do that. We all trust each other and I think playing up a level will really help us for next year.'

> **Bridget Clarke** Grayslake Blazers softball player

Despite the poor record, Miller is able to point to a number of solid performances from his players.

"Our number one pitcher, Taryn Miller, throws in the mid-50's and has had some real good games," Miller said. "Courtney Ryan has also done a good job, but she's lost three one-run games. And Jessica Douglas is learning how to add some speed, but she's the hardest worker on the



Photos by Rebecca Land

Taryn Miller of the Grayslake Blazers throws a pitch against the Lakeland Aces at Grayslake High School.

team. She'll get better and better.

'We have three potential pitching stars who will only improve." Miller also lauded the play of Hillary Kuhl, Amanda Hoban, Amber Chayer and Brooke Stanton.

With just two regular season games and a tournament in Vernon Hills left on the schedule, the Blazers hope to go out on a high note.

"We want to win this tournament," Taryn Miller said. "We want to show what we have; show what we didn't show during league play."



(Above, from left) Bridget Clarke, Kauri Voss and Amanda Leon of the 16-U Grayslake Blazers cheer on a teammate at the plate in a game against the Lakeland (Right) Aces. Karla Muldowney, playing for the 16-U Grayslake Blazers, slides under a tag at home plate against the Lakeland Aces at Grayslake High School last Thursday.

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Persistence paying off for Aces

Lakeland 16-U softball team reaping benefits of "never-say-die" attitude

By Rob Backus

Sports Editor

very team has a slogan or saying, but few are able to live up to them. But that's not the case for the 16-U Lakeland Aces softball team.

The Aces' slogan is "never, never, never give up" and they've fully adopted that mantra all summer. They didn't give up when they aged out of the 14-U North Suburban Fastpitch League, instead combining with six other teams to form the Lake County Girls' Fastpitch League.

They didn't give up after being felled by a series of injuries, including a broken finger to leading catcher Rebecca Menzer. They didn't even give up when faced with a six-run deficit in a tournament game in consists of 15 year olds com-

Kankakee last month. Instead, they persisted and came back to win the game before later taking the consolation championship.

That's been Lakeland's story all summer, according to coach Kip Karstedt.

"I'm most proud of the fact that these girls can be behind then come through with a six-run inning," said Karstedt, whose team is made up primarily of sophomores and juniors from Lakes and Antioch high schools. "They just don't quit."

The players agree.

"A lot of times we make a few errors, then we get down on ourselves," Lakes High junior Jamie Braden said, "But then we tell each other to never give up and we come out better the next inning. We still have to start playing the full seven innings, though."

Considering his team

peting against players a year older, Karstedt will take the wins anywhere he can get them.

'We're doing a lot better than we expected because we're such a young team," Karstedt said. "We're above .500 right now, we're first in league play and we've won a lot of consolation titles in some tough tournaments."

The team's only weakness, according to Karstedt, is a lack of consistency, which is bound to occur with a young

"We've had trouble putting it all together," he said. "Some days we're exceptional at the plate and some days we look lost. We lose our form. with our pitching.

great outings, but then we have games where the same pitcher who just threw a onehitter gives up several runs."

Versatility is the name of the game for the Aces, and no one embodies that more than the trio of Braden, Cali Behrendt and Ashton Pfeiffer.

'Jamie's taken on the catching role after Rebecca went down and she's done a great job," Karstedt said. "She's played a lot of positions for us and she does it without complaint. All of our pitchers love to pitch to her."

That's because before she donned the proverbial "tools of ignorance," she toed the rubber for the Aces.

"I'm a pitcher, so I know what I would want if I was pitching," Braden said.

Also sharing time behind We've also been inconsistent the plate in Menzer's absence is Behrendt, who also plays-"There have been some first and third base and the outfield.

> "She's very versatile," Karstedt said. "And her batting has been a huge improve

ment. She always seems to hit the gaps with her slaps."

It was almost happen-· stance that Behrendt was able to find a way to improve her hitting.

"I went outside to play ball with my dog and I put a tennis ball on a tee and just kept swinging," Behrendt said. "Ironically, it ended up helping a lot."

For Pfeiffer, her emergence was just a result of staying healthy, which she was unable to do last year.

"She's been injury-free and that's been a real blessing for us," Karstedt said. "She's very reliable and a real vocal leader. And she never loses focus."

With several tournaments to go before the summer season ends, Karstedt hopes his team can defend its title in the upcoming Cheesehead Classic in Kenosha.

"I expect us to do well," he

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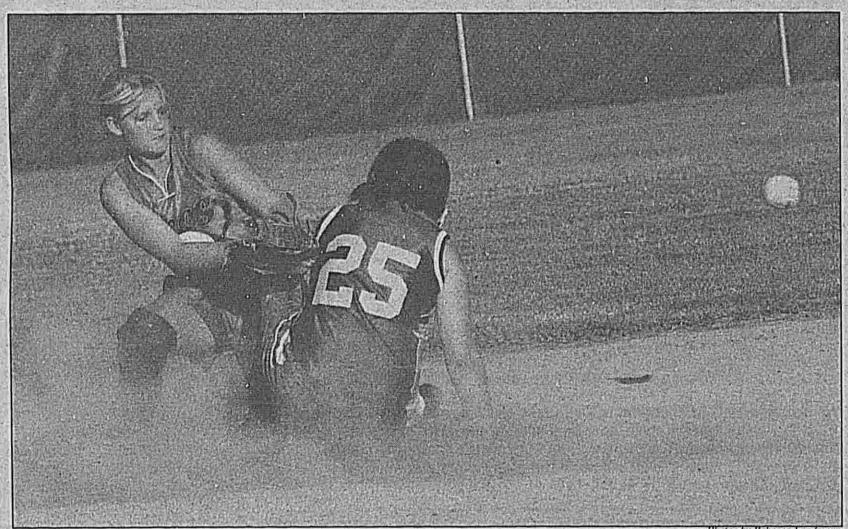
> Kip Karstedt 16-U Lakeland Aces' softball coach

said. "If we can finish up the summer with a championship under our belts, it would be a terrific accomplishment."

No matter how the Aces finish, the players are convinced of one thing.

"We know that if we are able to win games when we're a year younger, we'll be pretty good next year," Behrendt said. "We won't get cocky, though."





(Left) Amanda Hoban of the Lakeland Aces makes contact against Grayslake. (Above) Amber Chayer, playing for the 16-U Lakeland Aces, waits for the ball at second base as the runner slides in safely in a game against the Grayslake Blazers last Thursday.

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Bulldogs surviving the game

Grant's Oeffling keeps positive outlook despite wheel of misfortune

By Dan Patrick

Sports Reporter

here's something to be said about the old "When it rains, it pours" mantra; well, if you're a Grant girls basketball coach, that is. Despite being only one month into the summer, coach Tom Oeffling has dealt with more misfortune most coaches deal with in a year.

The Bulldogs have been plagued injuries ranging from relatively routine sprains to broken wrists, a torn anterior cruciate ligament and even a ruptured spleen. Needless to say, Oeffling has grown a bit weary of the trouble.

"It's been a really busy summer but we've been playing survivor," Oeffling said. "We started out the summer with 16 girls and at one point we were down to eight players. There's been all kinds of injuries and a lot of freakish things. You name it, we've been through it."

If there is any good that might come out of such a difficult summer, it might be purely in the realm of superstition. After all, with half of the team succumbing to bad luck, there must be some light at the end of the tunnel.

"I really hope that we've gotten it all out of our system," Oeffling said. "If not, we could have some trouble next season."

Despite any health problems, Oeffling said he was pleased with the overall improvement he's seen. With 22 wins during the 2004-05 campaign, the word "improvement" should have most Bulldog opponents shaking in their boots.

"I'm really happy with the amount of dedication and energy the girls have given this summer," Oeffling said. "They really work hard for us and even the injured girls have come to all of our tournaments to give their teammates support. When you have that sort of team spirit, it can really show on the court."

If the team can find some repellent for the injury bug, there are still some holes to shore up before the beginning of the 2005-06 campaign. The first order of business is defense.

"We've really had some problems stopping the other teams," Jackie Fagen said. "Our biggest problem is with communication. We've just got to be vocal on the court. It's kind of funny because when you get us off the court, we can't shut up."

Coach Oeffling also cited defensive communication as a major problem within the team. However, he still holds high expectations for next season's run despite the loss of key seniors from last year's team.

"I'm expecting a lot out of our girls this year," Oeffling said. "Our defense is really weak, but that's really the only problem we're having right now - but that's a major problem. You're always going to have the occasional off night offensively, but defense is something that you can count on and we've really got to cor-

We have a lot of returning talent this year that could really make a difference for us. These girls are dedicated, hard-working, experienced gym rats and I really am expecting good things for us next year.'

> Tom Oeffling Grant girls' basketball coach

rect the situation."

The direction of the program as a whole has also become a bit of a sticky subject for Oeffling and his coaches at the lower levels. Despite sustained success at the varsity level for the last few years, camp participation at the elementary ages has dropped steeply.

'Our upper levels have been pretty strong and should remain strong for a while," Oeffling said. "The varsity team will be very competitive and all of the rest of the high school teams should also do very well. My only concern is that we only had 12 girls at our last camp whereas last year we had more than 60."

There would be nothing better for the coaching staff than to see Grant's girls basketball team become a perennial powerhouse within the Lake County scene. The only roadblock to that vision would be lack of participation at the elementary and middle school ranks.

"I'm really a bit concerned about the lack of girls at our last camp," Oeffling said: "We did lose some girls because we scheduled it when one of our elementary schools were still in session, but we didn't expect such a huge drop-off. Basketball is simply not a sport where people can come in at high school, learn how to play and expect to be successful. Elementary school programs are absolutely vital."

Another chink in Grant's armor comes from the lack of a park program. While many Lake County schools have made park teams a necessity, Grant is still working on creating a team in the Fox Lake area.

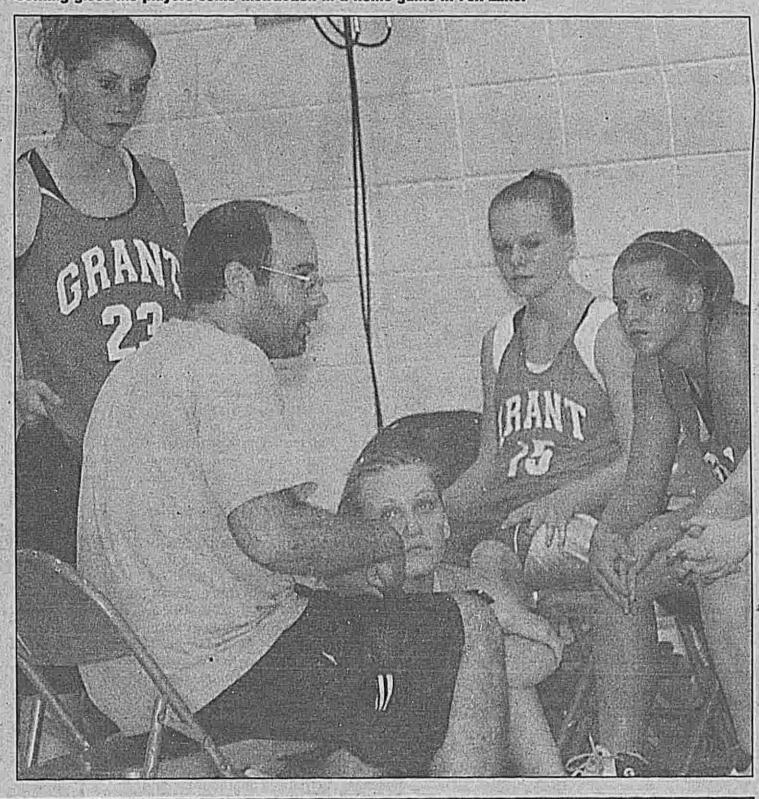
"One of our problems Is that we don't have a park team when a lot of the other villages around here have very strong park programs," Oeffling said. "These other villages get their girls into these programs at a very early age and that can make a huge difference once they reach high school,"

It's not all gloom and doom for the Bulldogs. Oeffling and his girls expect a huge season to follow up last season's record-breaking run.

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(Above) Grant Community High School sophomore Jamle Swanson (left) and Kristie Sutherland, a Grant junior, celebrate after a game at Grant High School. (Below) During a timeout, Grant High coach Tom Oeffling gives his players some instruction in a home game in Fox Lake.



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Carmel retooling for another successful run

By Rob Backus

Sports Editor

t's a shame Carmel coach Chuck Gandolfi teaches physical education at Beach School in Round Lake Beach, because he would have made a heck of a chemistry teacher.

How else would you explain the Corsairs' phenomenal run of success the

last decade, during which they've won five regionals, a pair of sectionals and have twice qualified for the state tournament? Sure, the team has always had talent, but any team, no matter what the talent level, can falter because of a lack of chemistry.

That's what makes Gandolfi's run, which includes a total of four state tournament appearances in his 18-year, 400-plus win

tenure, all the more impres-

"The whole thing is trying to find the right mix for the varsity level," Gandolfi said. "Every year we're putting the puzzle together; we just need to keep replacing pieces. Knock on wood, we've been able to do that so far."

Still, you'd think the program would eventually have to enter some sort of rebuilding mode, especially when you look at the players that have graduated since that third place showing at state two years ago.

Instead, the Corsairs can still rely on the several pieces that remain from that team, and appear poised for yet another solid season.

Mike Morrissey, Jeff Greco, Matt Diedrich, Sean McCreary, John Brennan and Tim Jousupait all return from that 2004 squad, with Morrissey, Greco Diedrich returning as All-East Suburban Catholic selections. So while most coaches demand much from their returning players in the summer months, Gandolfi has faith that they'll be ready to lead when the time comes next spring.

'I don't need to see them play every day because I know what I'm getting from them," Gandolfi said. "And Diedrich is better off pitching for the (Libertyville Bandits) Legion team than he is facing high school kids in the summer."

In fact, Gandolfi kind of takes a laid-back approach to the entire team during the summer, simply wanting the new players to gain some valuable experience heading into next season.

"Summer is a pretty easy time for us," Gandolfi said. "We don't pinch run or pinch

hit and we go through phases where we don't bunt for a whole week. I want the kids to take as many swings as possible to show if they will succeed or fail."

Gandolfi's summer approach is so laissez faire that you'd almost accuse him of being lackadaisical. But that's not the case.

"We might not care about wins and losses, but we still want to give the kids a chance to fail or succeed," Gandolfi said. "We still get on the kids to play the game right. And we've played a lot of games against good teams. We've played Libertyville, Mundelein and Stevenson three or four times each and that gives us a good barometer of where we are."

If the team's schedule is any indication of its readiness, then the Corsairs appear in good shape as they've already won 18 games this summer and go into next week's IHSBCA regional as the No. 3 ranked team.

In addition to the proven assets he has returning, Gandolfi has been encouraged with the emergence of several new players, including Jonathan Miller, John Reiss, Jack Perrin, Zach Amerin, Max Thain, Adam Pearson, Brian Siedlecki and Richie Krauss. He also said that Brian

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> Chuck Gandolfi Carmel baseball coach

Hendricks and Cory Stonelake, who both saw varsity action last season, have continued to improve.

As far as a lack of concern with wins and losses, that will change with the start of the postseason next week. The

Corsairs "We'll have all of our players for the tournament and we're starting to get geared up," said Gandolfi, whose team reached the state finals in Naperville last summer. "We want to get to state again, but we know we'll have to get through some tough teams to get there:"



Photos by Rebecca Landmann

(Left) Carmel High School's Zach Amrein hits a ball against Libertyville in a home game on Monday. (Right) Max Thain of Carmel High School prepares to bowl over the catcher at home plate in a summer league game against Libertyville on Monday.



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DOCTOR

he's talking about. Nardini, who plays soccer and basketball for the Cougars, has torn her ACL twice, most recently last spring. And she's now using these new exercises to help prevent a third.

"The exercises help a lot, especially mentally," said Nardini, who had her second arthroscopic knee surgery last month. "I won't be as scared now that I'll tear it again. Plus it can't hurt to have stronger legs."

While the multitude of athletes he sees are from area high schools, that's not to say he hasn't been able to branch out. In fact, he can lay claim to treating some of the world's best female soccer players as one of the physicians for both the U-19 and the main U.S. Women's Soccer teams, a position he's held since 2002. And he's loved every minute of it.

"It's been a fantastic experience to be given a chance to take what I've learned and apply it at an elite level," Amann said. "And the staff I work with is top notch. They make my job easier."

He also fondly recalls the relationships he's developed with the players during his time with the U.S. team, including occasional get-togethers with legendary Mia Hamm, who currently lives in the area with her husband, Cubs' shortstop Nomar Garciaparra,

Given his attitude toward his patients, it's easy to see how those strong relation-

"It was one of the worst

feelings when I hurt my knee, especially the second time, but he was great," Nardini said. "He's always there to make sure I'm okay."

Though his travels with Team USA have taken him to Canada and Germany and will soon take him to China for the 2007 Women's World Cup and 2008 Summer Olympics, Amann likes it just where he is.

"I grew up in this area and I have family here," said Amann, who attended St. Joseph's School and Hawthorn Middle School. "I've always been fond of this place, so I decided this was the place for me. I want to continue developing this practice."

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ships have developed.

way for pro female athletes to even come close to rivaling the guys is to look like a Bond Girl as well.

SIDELINES

What is this telling all of our area high school girls currently paying their dues in the gym and dreaming of star-dom on the athletic turf? One lesson: If you don't look like a Barbie doll, dream on.

Amongst the Lake County ranks, there were a number of standout female athletes who are now looking at the beginnings of their college careers. There is certainly a huge gap between being a varsity standout and a professional

athlete, but suppose one of our own will become the next Mia Hamm or Lisa Leslie. Don't they deserve the same stack of ducats for the same work?

Of course not, and this discrimination is an extreme injustice to all of the Kendall Brown's, T.K. LaFleur's and every other high school standout that has rightfully given her blood, sweat and tears to become an athletic star.

The culprit, however, isn't

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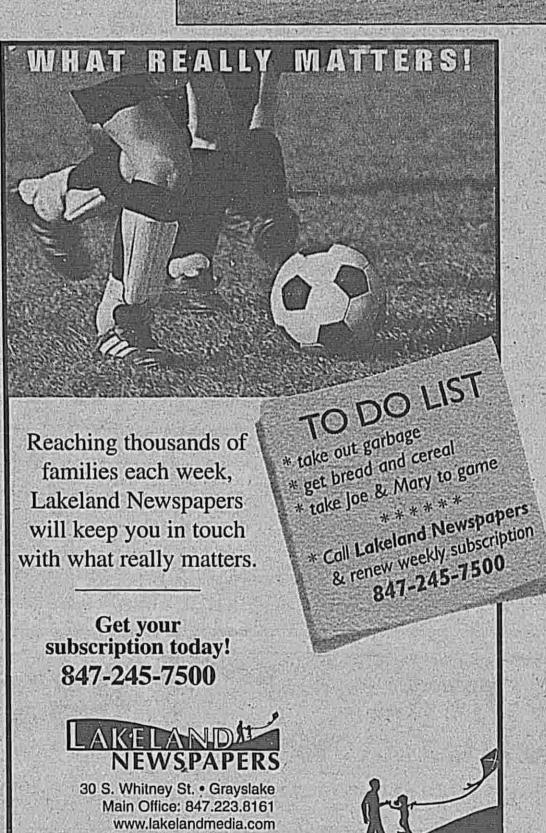
the checks, it's the amount of

people tuning in. The guys

wouldn't be signing huge contracts without the millions of fans watching the games. Perhaps Sharapova and Patrick's quick fame is not indicative of salary injustice, but a larger societal problem of sports fans wanting sex appeal as opposed to athletic prowess. Regardless of the reason, it's simply unfair.

It seems that parents should not only send their young female athletes to sports camps, but to finishing school as well. And that's something you can bank on.

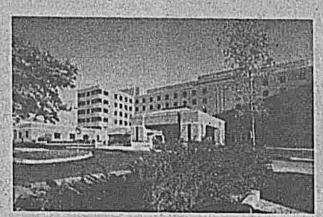
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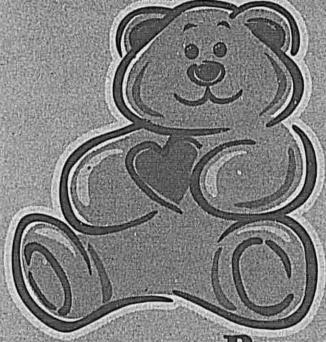
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nity-oriented style of journalism represented by the Paddock and Schroeder families. The purchase of Lakeland combines the strengths of the leading daily and weekly newspapers in those areas of Lake County west of I-94."

"Becoming a part of the Paddock family of publications is a great compliment to the Lakeland papers and our staff," said Schroeder. "I see the acquisition as opening up a whole new chapter of newspaper service and achievement for the expanded Daily Herald in one of the most competitive newspaper markets in the nation. I have the utmost respect for Paddock Publications. I have long considered the Daily Herald as a standard setter in the nation for quality suburban journalism."

The Lakeland Media group will become a part of Paddock Ventures LLC, a subsidiary of Paddock Publications, Inc. Reflejos, a 100,000-circulation weekly bilingual publication serving the growing Latino population of Chicago's suburbs, is also part of Paddock Ventures.

Along with Schroeder in making the announcement to staff were his son, Robert, general manager of the operation, and daughter, Jill DePasquale, sales manager of the Market Journal. Among those attending from Paddock were Baumann, Doug Ray, president and CEO, and Robert Paddock Jr., executive vice president and vice chairman.

Ray said that, "While Bill Schroeder plans to retire, Bob and Jill will play key roles in the future of the enterprise. Bob will become chief operating officer and Jill will be advertising sales director of all publications.

"We believe a newspaper must reflect the community it serves and that starts with local ownership and local management. This sale will not change the core values of community journalism fostered under the ownership of William Schroeder. At the same time, today's business climate requires operating synergies that come from being a part of a larger organization. For example, Paddock will explore printing the Lakeland newspapers at its state-of-the-art printing facility, and there will be marketing and content enhancements made possible by the merger. In the end, this will bring greater value to readers and advertisers," Ray said.

Robert Paddock Jr. emphasized the opportunity for both parties to benefit from each other's individuality.

"Though they are smaller, Lakeland accomplishes some remarkable things," he said.

"The Paddock family's roots were in weekly newspapering," noted Paddock, "so it will be both useful and enjoyable to bring the strengths of our companies together. We share the values of good journalism, commitment to community and trust in our employees."

The transaction is expected to close in

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(D-Waukegan) through Waukegan to take sides. Objectives have varied from wanting to close St. Therese all together, to not changing a thing. Now that an agreement has been reached, those opposed to the agreement simply want to insure that everyone that needs medical aid in the Waukegan area can get it.

At the start of the month, in the thick of a long stretch of hot weather, Dr. Gerald Havey called Victory Hospital to inform them that one of his patients needed care from the emergency room. But when Havey called, he was told that the emergency room was filled with an accident and six people were already waiting for beds.

"If this was a warm day, what happens when it's five below zero," Havey said.

Victory recently increased their emergency room size adding nearly a dozen beds, and construction on their waiting area should be completed by the end of the year. With that done, some are still worried about the future in a growing community.

Members of the medical community point to a recent \$2.9 millionproject to create a cardiac cauterization lab during tight financial times. Similar labs are available at St. Luke's Hospital in Milwaukee and Condell Medical Capter in Libertwille

Medical Center in Libertyville.

"They're sacrificing acute medical beds to bring in sophisticated equipment for sophisticated procedures that can be done at nearby hospitals," Havey said.

Regardless of opinions, Havey made a strong point that the decisions have already been made, and it's important for everyone to move forward towards preparing for the future, rather than dwelling on the past. That's something Martin certainly agrees with, as she remains focused on her three "P's" – staying positive, proactive and profitable.

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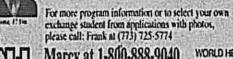
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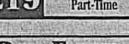
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Renegotiations — The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly By Scott T. Fleischmann

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Certainly, an administrative assistant with unused work

capacity can create an additional weekly report. But what about a change that requires overtime for an employee who is not compensated for overtime? What about a job description that is changed to include travel? Should a single parent be expected to find a different job or provide his or her own childcare when required to travel for a week or two?

We all need to be flexible enough to take on extra work in the short term. We can also expect our work assignments to change with little notice. As employees, we need to accept the changes for the sake of the team. However, we can expect some benefits when the changes become too imposing.

In the example of the single parent who is now required to travel there will be some additional expenses. Some parents may be willing to accept this change if it is not too inconvenient. Certainly the employer will pay for the travel expenses, lodging and food for the displaced employee. But there may be expenses associated with the additional childcare that the employer might pay. Some parents may not want to be in this situation and therefore will want a different job within the organization.

These are points that can be negotiated with most employers. However, our ability to do the negotiation is often predicated on the value that our employer places on our skills and abilities. A person who is perceived to be contributing to the organization at a high level and has not made many significant demands in the past his more likely to negotiate to a positive conclusion. Those who are not considered as valuable may be less successful, likewise those who have made numerous

demands in the past. Most large corporations have definitive guidelines on how a manager should liandle each situation. However, most situations have different circumstances that give a good manager justification to make exceptions. Often these exceptions need to be approved by the human resources department or a higher level manager. Astute managers can often find the criteria

o justify a need. However, wise managers will also be able to differentiate. between needs and desires. We all want more money. An employee who is the guardian for a child needs more money for childcare when required to travel. An employee who has a child living with a former spouse may want more money but the need

Wise employees will ask for needs as work situations change. They will explain the affects of the change and the need that was developed. Then they will allow the manager time to accomplish the fulfillment of the need. Workers should evaluate every situation on it's merit and present only those that are worthy, knowing that employees who are perceived as being constantly needy are not as valued as those who are seen as more flexible.

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This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown. /s/ Alfonso Cervantes June 29, 2005

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 29th day of June 2005, OFFICIAL SEAL

/s/Christina J, Hom Notary Public Received: June 29, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0708B-7277-GP July 8, 15, 22, 2005

PUBLIC NOTICE **ASSUMED BUSINESS** NAME application NAME OF BUSINESS:

Chiwan Enterprise Limited NATURE/PURPOSE: Air & water purifier systems, nutrients ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: w Dr. Mundelein IL. 60060, (847)566-6067. NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE

ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS Nguchie Gathogo, 504 Lakeview Dr., Mundelein, IL. 60060, (847)566-6067. STATE OF ILLINOIS) COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown. /s/ Nguchie Gathogo July 6, 2005

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 6th day of July 2005.

OFFICIAL SEAL /s/Barbara J. Noster Notary Public Received: July 6, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0715C-7288-MN July 15, 22, 29, 2005

PUBLIC NOTICE **ASSUMED BUSINESS** NAME application NAME OF BUSINESS: Gurnee Video NATURE/PURPOSE: Video Store ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 401 N. Riverside Dr., Gurnee, IL. 60031 (847)662-3660 NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS Moon-Jin Kim, 33670 N. Royal Oak. Apt#108, Grayslake, IL. 60030, (847)548-8208.

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PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application NAME OF BUSINESS: Chiwan International NATURE/PURPOSE: Air, water purification system & nutrients ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 504 Lakeview Dr., Mundelein,

IL. 60060, (847)566-6067. NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS Nguchie Gathogo, 504 Lakeview Dr., Mundelein, IL. 60060, (847)566-6067. STATE OF ILLINOIS) COUNTY OF LAKE)

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July 12, 2005 The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 12th day of July 2005.

OFFICIAL SEAL /s/Yarimar Santos Notary Public Received: July 12, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0715C-7293-MN July 15, 22, 29, 2005

PUBLIC NOTICE **ASSUMED BUSINESS** NAME application NAME OF BUSINESS: The Brush's Painting and

Decoration NATURE/PURPOSE: Painting and decoration ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 417 Sheridan Rd., Apt. 2, Highwood, IL. 60040, (847)769-9075... NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING. CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS Floriberto Mendoza, 417 Sheridan Rd., Apt. 2, Highwood, IL. 60040, (847)769-9075.

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June 21, 2005 The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 21st. day of June 2005.

OFFICIAL SEAL /s/Adriana Lomeli **Notary Public** Received: June 21, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0701A-7254-GP July 1, 8, 15, 2005

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PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application NAME OF BUSINESS: Citywide Exteriors NATURE/PURPOSE: Siding, gutters and exteriors especialist ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE

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CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 1202 Woodridge Dr., Round Lake Beach, IL. 60073, (847)270-9369. NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS Antonio Vargas, 1202 Woodridge Dr., Round Lake Beach, IL. 60073, (847)270-9369. STATE OF ILLINOIS)

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COUNTY OF LAKE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 27th day of June 2005.

OFFICIAL SEAL /s/Christina J. Hom Notary Public Received: June 27, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0701A-7262-RL July 1, 8, 15, 2005

PUBLIC NOTICE **ASSUMED BUSINESS** NAME application NAME OF BUSINESS: Michael S. Hatfield dba MSH Creations

NATURE/PURPOSE: Carpentry/Artwork ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 1522 Pine Grove Rd., Round Lake Beach, IL. 60073, (847)740-9369. NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS Michael S. Hatfield, 1522 Pine Grove Rd., Round Lake Beach, IL. 60073, (847)740-

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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 17th day of June 2005.

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June 24, 2005 The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 24th day of June 2005.

OFFICIAL SEAL /s/Adriana Lomeli Notary Public Received: June 24, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0701A-7256-GP July 1, 8, 15, 2005

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PUBLIC NOTICE **ASSUMED BUSINESS** NAME application NAME OF BUSINESS:

Two Dips NATURE/PURPOSE: Gift Baskets ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 570 Arlington Ln., Grayslake, IL. 60030, (847)204-4676. NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS Pam Paglia (Pamela Rakowslay Paglia), 570 Arlington Ln., Grayslake, IL. 60030, (847)204-4676.

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Notary Public

/s/Kay Ann Fredrick

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Lake County Clerk

July 1, 8, 15, 2005

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Received: June 23, 2005

22nd day of June 2005.

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June 22, 2005

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/s/Barbara J. Noster Notary Public Received: June 17, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0701A-7264-GL July 1, 8, 15, 2005

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application NAME OF BUSINESS: Chain-O-Lakes Seawalls &

NATURE/PURPOSE: Seawalls, piers, welding serv-

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 38619 Hillandale Dr., Spring Grove, IL. 60081, (847)587-5561, (224) 627-7988. NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS L. Clayton Beyers II, 38619 Hillandale Dr., Spring Grove, IL. 60081, (847)587-5561. STATE OF ILLINOIS)

COUNTY OF LAKE) This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business Is/are correct as shown. /s/ L. Clayton Beyers II June 28, 2005

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) Intending to conduct the business this 28th day of June 2005.

OFFICIAL SEAL /s/Christina J. Hom Notary Public Received: June 28, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0701A-7266-FL July 1, 8, 15, 2005

PUBLIC NOTICE

In accordance with the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act, the Grayslake Community Park District has made a determination of the prevailing rates of wages to be paid laborers; mechanics and other workers employed in public works projects for the Grayslake Community Park District. The Park District has determined that the prevailing rates of wages are the wage rates for Lake County as determined by the Illinois Department of Labor. A copy of this determination is available for public inspection at the Park District Office, 151 Hawley, Grayslake, Illinois 60030. Copies are available through the Freedom of Information Act.

> George Weinert Secretary, Board of Commissioners Grayslake Community Park District July 7, 2005

0715C-7290-GL July 15, 2005

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Fox Lake and McHenry Counties, Illinois will hold a Public Hearing on the proposed Annual Appropriation Ordinance for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 2005 and ending April 30, 2006. Said hearing will be at 7:00 p.m. on July 26th, 2005 in the Council Chambers at 66 Thillen Drive, Fox Lake, Illi-

The proposed Appropriation Ordinance will be on file at the Village Hall for inspection. Interested persons may inspect copies of the proposed Appropriation Ordinance at the above address between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Nancy Rogers Village Clerk Village of Fox Lake

0715C-7287-FL July 15, 2005

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That on August 8, 2005 a sale will be held at Chain O'Lakes Marina, 500 East Grand Avenue, Fox Lake, IL., to sell the following articles to enforce a lien existing under the laws of the State of Illinois against such articles for labor, services, skill or material expended upon a storage furnished for such articles at the request of the following designated persons, unless such articles are redeemed within thirty days of the publication of this

NAME OF PERSON: Mark Olson

DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLE: 1984 28.5' Bayliner Contessa with Hull #BL2A20CD0883-4

AMOUNT OF LIEN: \$2,059.42

0708B-7279-FL July 8, 15, 22, 2005

PUBLIC NOTICE

C.M. Baily, registered owner of 1995 Dodge Caravan, VIN #2B4GH45R7SR350382; Mechanic's Lien for \$6,770. You have until August 15, 2005 to pay Tim Moore, dba Absolute Transmission, Inc., 1725 Wood St., Round Lake, IL. and remove the vehicle or it will be sold. Business hours are Monday thru Friday

> 0715C-7289-RL Julky 15, 22, 29, 2005

PUBLIC NOTICE

ROUND LAKE AREA SCHOOLS COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #116

RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR PREVAILING WAGES EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2005

I, <u>Hal Davis</u>, the duly qualified and acting Secretary of the Board of Education, Round Lake Community Unit School District Number 116, Lake County Illinois, do hereby certify that hereto is a true and correct copy of the resolution entitled:

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE PREVAILING WAGE RATES FOR LABORERS, MECHANICS AND WORKERS **EMPLOYED ON PUBLIC WORKS CONSTRUCTION** PROJECTS OF ROUND LAKE COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #116, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Which resolution was duly adopted by said Board of Education at the regular meeting held on the 23rd, day of June 2005. I do further certify that a quorum of said Board of Education was present at said meeting, and that all requirements of the Illinois Open Meetings Act were met.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 23rd. day of June 2005.

> Hal Davis, Secretary **Board of Education** Round Lake Area Schools Community Unit School District #116 Lake County, Illinois

WHEREAS, the State of Illinois has enacted "An Act regulating wages of laborers, mechanics and other workers employed in any public works by the State, County, City or any public body or any political subdivision or anyone under contract for public works, "approved June 26, 1941 as amended, being Sections 39S-1 through 39S-12, Chapter 48, Illinois Revised Statutes,

WHEREAS, the aforesaid Act requires that the Board of Education of Round Lake Community Unit School District Number 116 investigate and ascertain the prevailing rate of wages a defined in said Act for laborers, mechanics and other workers in the locality of said School District employed in performing construction of public works for said School District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Round Lake Community Unit School District Number 116, Lake County, Illinois as follows:

Section 1: To the extent and as required by "An Act regulating wages of laborers, mechanics and other workers employed in any public works by the State, County, City or any public body or any political subdivision or by anyone under contract for public works," approved June 26, 1941, as amended, the general prevailing rate of wages in this locality for laborers, mechanics and other workers engaged in the construction of public works coming under the jurisdiction of this District is hereby ascertained to be the same as the prevailing rate of wages for construction work in the Lake County area as determined by the Department of Labor of the State of Illinois as of July 1, 2002, a copy of that determination being incorporated herein by reference. The definition of any terms appearing in this Resolution which are also used in the aforesaid Act shall be the same as in

Section 2: Nothing herein contained shall be construed to apply said general prevailing rate of wages as herein ascertained to any work or employment except public works construction of this District to the extent required by the aforesaid Act.

Section 3: The Secretary of the Board of Education shall publicly post or keep available for inspection of any interested party in the main office of this District this determination of such prevailing rate of wage.

Section 4: The Secretary of the Board of Education shall mail a copy of this determination to any employer, and to any association of employers and to any person or association of employees who have filed their names and addresses requesting copies of any determination stating the particular rates and the particular class of workers whose wages will be affected by

Section 5: The Secretary of the Board of Education shall promptly file a certified copy of this Resolution with both the Secretary of State and the Department of Labor of the State of

Section 6: Within 30 days after filing of a certified copy of this Resolution with the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Board of Education shall cause to be published in a local newspaper of general circulation within the School District a copy of this Resolution and such publication shall constitute notice that the determination is effective and that this is the determination of this public body.

Section 7: This Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and approval as required by law.

> 0715C-7286-RL July 15, 2005

LEGAL ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS FOX LAKE, ILLINOIS

Public notice is hereby given pursuant to a Petition on file in the Village Clerk's office of the Village of Fox Lake, that a public hearing will be held on July 28, 2005 at 7:30 p.m. in he Village Hall, Fox Lake, Illinois, to hear the Petition of Fox Lake Country Club Partnership, L.L.C., the sole beneficiary under a Trust Agreement with Amalgamated Bank of Chicago, dated the 18th day of July, 1983, and known as Trust Number 4848, owner of the following described real estate to-wit: THAT PART OF THE SOUTHWEST AND SOUTHEAST QUARTERS OF SECTION 28, TOWN-SHIP 46 NORTH, RANGE 9 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 59 MINUTES 56 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28 A DISTANCE OF 647,27 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUING SOUTH B9 DEGREES 59N MINUTES 56 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE

OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28 A DISTANCE OF 702.02 FEET; THENCE NEJRTH 02 DEGREES 30 MINUTES 59 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 504,99 FEET] THENCE NORTH 00 DEGREES 42 MINUTES 52 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 397,36 FEET; THENCE NORTH OI DEGREES 20 MINUTES 16 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 284,47 FEET; THENCE NORTH 79 DEGREES 53 MINUTES 40 SEC-

ONDS EAST, 82.76 FEET, THENCE NORTH 12 DEGREES 13 MINUTES 08 SECONDS WEST, 429.15 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 51 MINUTES 40 SECONDS EAST, 678.66 FEET; THENCE NORTH OO DEGREES 46 MINUTES 45 SECONDS WEST A

DISTANCE OF 139.64 FEET- THENCE NORTH B9 DEGREES 5B MINUTES 15 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 231,63 FEET; THENCE NORTH 23 DEGREES 09 MINUTES 50 SEC-ONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 66.43 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 82 DEGREES 40 MINUTES 58 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 96,66 FEET; THENCE SOUTH

74 DEGREES 50 MINUTES 04 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 133,38 FEET; THENCE NORTH 6I DEGREES 05 MINUTES 42 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 161,37 FEET; THENCE NORTH 50 DEGREES 06 MINUTES 16 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 109.56 FEET; THENCE NORTH 45 DEGREES 25 MINUTES 46 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 67,37 FEET; THENCE NORTH 17 DEGREES 59 MINUTES 28 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 106.07 FEET; THENCE NORTH 29 DEGREES 34 MINUTES 11 SECONDS EAST A DIS-TANCE OF 103,35 FEET; THENCE NORTH 84 DEGREES 13 MINUTES 51 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 145.61 FEET; THENCE NORTH 56 DEGREES 50 MINUTES 52 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 120,79 FEET; THENCE NORTH 40 DEGREES 40 MINUTES 12 SEC-ONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 55.61 FEET; THENCE NORTH 42 DEGREES 41 MINUTES 56 SECONDS EAST REC, (NORTH 41 DEGREES 59 MINUTES 46 SECONDS EAST MEAS.) A DISTANCE OF 105.54 FEET REC. (161,15 FEET MEAS,);

THENCE NORTH 5B DEGREES IO MINUTES 25 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 127.95 FEET: THENCE NORTH 63 DEGREES 33 MINUTES 05 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 120,24 FEET TO THE NORTHERLY MOST SOUTHWEST CORNER OF LEISURE VILLAGE UNIT TWO, AS PER DOCUMENT No. 1643056, RECORDED NOVEMBER 16, 1973, THENCE NORTH OO DEGREES 08 MINUTES 26 EAST ALONG THE WESTERLY MOST WEST LINE OF SAID LEISURE VILLAGE UNIT TWO A DISTANCE OF 174,09 FEET TO A POINT ON THE NORTH LINE OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 5B MINUTES 04 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF THE SOUTH-EAST QUARTER AND THE NORTH LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SEC-TION 28 A DISTANCE OF 3429.14 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTH-WEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28; THENCE SOUTH O0 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 37 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SEC-TION 28 A DISTANCE OF 2248.30 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 59 MINUTES 56 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 177,23 FEET; THENCE SOUTH OO DEGREES 29 MINUTES 37 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 100,00 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 67 DEGREES 35 MIN-UTES 53 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 510,98 FEET; THENCE SOUTH O0 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 37 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 113,38 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, ALSO, THAT PART THEREOF DESCRIBED AS : COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHWEST COR-NER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28: THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 59 MINUTES 56 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF THE SOUTH-WEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28 A DISTANCE OF 1349.29 FEET~ THENCE NORTH 02 DEGREES 30 MINUTES 59 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 504.99 FEET; THENCE NORTH OO DEGREES 42 MINUTES 52 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 397.36 FEET: THENCE NORTH O1 DEGREES 20 MINUTES 16 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 284.47 FEETI THENCE NORTH 79 DEGREES 53 MINUTES 40 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 82,76 FEETI THENCE NORTH 12 DEGREES 13 MINUTES 08 SECONDS WEST A DIS-TANCE OF 310.66 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING: THENCE NORTH 12 DEGREES 13 MINUTES 08 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 118.49 FEET: THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 51 MINUTES 40 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 118.49 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 38 OF BEGINNING.)

EXCEPTING THEREFROM THAT PART DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: THAT PART OF THE SOUTHWEST AND SOUTHEAST QUARTERS OF SECTION 28, TOWN-SHIP 46 NORTH, RANGE 9 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28: THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 59 MINUTES 56 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28 A DISTANCE OF 1349.29 FEET; THENCE NORTH 02 DEGREES 30 MINUTES 59 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 504.99 FEET; THENCE NORTH O0 DEGREES 42 MINUTES 52 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 397.36 FEET: THENCE NORTH O1 DEGREES 20

MINUTES 16 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 284.47 FEET; THENCE NORTH 79 DEGREES 53 MINUTES 40 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 82.76 FEETI THENCE NORTH 12 DEGREES 13 MINUTES 08 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 429.15 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 51 MINUTES 40 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 118.49 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING: THENCE NORTH 38 DEGREES 57 MINUTES 36 SECONDS EAST A DIS-TANCE OF 38,02 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 51 MINUTES 40 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 147.04 FEET; THENCE NORTH O0 DEGREES 08 MINUTES 20 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 50.00 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 51 MINUTES 40 SEC-ONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 344.76 FEET; THENCE NORTH OO DEGREES 46 MINUTES 45 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 111,61 FEET; THENCE NORTH 38 DEGREES 39 MINUTES 50 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 80.70 FEET; THENCE NORTH 90 DEGREES OO MIN-UTES OO SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 77.19 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 64 DEGREES OO MINUTES

28 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 130.92 FEET: THENCE SOUTH 28 DEGREES 05 MIN-UTES 07 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 64.40 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 52 MINUTES 15 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 231.63 FEET; THENCE SOUTH O0 DEGREES 46 MINUTES 45 SECONDS A DISTANCE OF 139.64 FEET: THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 51 MINUTES 40 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 560.17 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, ALL IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.)

ALSO EXCEPTING THEREFROM THAT PART DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: THAT PART OF THE SOUTH HALF OF SECTION 28, TOWNSHIP 46 NORTH, RANGE 9 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 30 IN WOODLAND GREEN SUBDIVI-SION (AS RECORDED FEBRUARY 17, 1999 AS DOCUMENT No. 4302296 IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS); THENCE NORTH 23 DEGREES 09 MINUTES 50 SECONDS EAST, 66.43 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 82 DEGREES 40 MINUTES 58 SECONDS EAST, 96.66 FEET; THENCE

SOUTH 74 DEGREES 50 MINUTES 04 SECONDS EAST, 133.38 FEET; THENCE NORTH 61 DEGREES 05 MINUTES 42 SECONDS EAST, 161.37 FEET; THENCE NORTH 50 DEGREES 06 MINUTES 16 SECONDS EAST, 109.56 FEET; THENCE NORTH 45 DEGREES 25 MINUTES 46 SECONDS EAST, 67.37 FEET; THENCE NORTH 17 DEGREES 59 MINUTES 28 SECONDS EAST, 106.07 FEET; THENCE NORTH 29 DEGREES 34 MINUTES 11 SECONDS EAST, 103.35 FEET; THENCE NORTH 84 DEGREES 13 MINUTES 51 SECONDS EAST, 145.61 FEET; THENCE NORTH 56 DEGREES 50 MINUTES 52 SEC-ONDS EAST, 120.79 FEET; THENCE NORTH 4] DEGREES 59 MINUTES 46 SECONDS EAST, 161,15 FEET; THENCE NORTH 58 DEGREES 10 MINUTES 25 SECONDS EAST, 127.95 FEET; THENCE NORTH 63 DEGREES 33 MINUTES 05 SECONDS EAST, 120.24 FEET; THENCE NORTH OO DEGREES 19 MINUTES 36 SECONDS WEST, 175.44 FEET TO THE NORTH LINE OF THE SOUTH HALF OF SAID SECTION 28; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 58 MINUTES 36 SECONDS WEST ALONG SAID NORTH LINE OF THE SOUTH HALF OF SAID SECTION 28, 1100.43 FEET; THENCE SOUTH OO DEGREES 02 MINUTES 51 SECONDS WEST, 152.15 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 60 DEGREES 42 MINUTES 43 SECONDS EAST, 82.10 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 70 DEGREES 01 MINUTES 54 SECONDS EAST, 149.70 FEET; THENCE

SOUTH .31 DEGREES OB MINUTES 41 SECONDS WEST, 150.84 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 44 DEGREES .31 MINUTES 51 SECONDS WEST, 134.75 FEET; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES

SOUTH 58 DEGREES 09 MINUTES 07 SECONDS EAST, 35.11 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 40

DEGREES 06 MINUTES 48 SECONDS EAST, 149.44 FEET; THENCE

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PUBLIC NOTICE

SAFEWAY SELF STORAGE INC. 1100 W. Rollins Rd. Round Lake Heights, IL

60073 (847) 546-9300 Notice is hereby given that SAFEWAY SELF STORAGE, INC., 1100 W. Rollins Road, Round Lake Heights, Illinois 60073, will sell the personal goods from the following units to satisfy the lien of SAFE-WAY SELF STORAGE (Seller) for rental and other charg-

Unit # R2491010 Occupant: Patrick Leone Contents: Telescope, art, CD's, wine rack. Unit #R1280510 Occupant: Lisa Martinez Contents: Hi-chair...

Unit #R1461010 Occupant: Sherry Christiansen Contents: Boxes, furniture, ladder, beds. Unit #R0081015

Occupant: Brad Kleban Contents: Smoker, boxes, furniture, organ, containers. Unit #R0121010 Occupant: Mary Lawless Contents: Bicycle, containers,

furniture. Unit #R2131010 Occupant: Anthony Munch Contents: Beds, furniture. Unit #R3611020 Occupant: Jessie Visocnik Contents: Fan, computer

racks, tools. Unit #R4031010 Occupant: Ronald Cokenower Contents: Containers, boxes Unit #R4110510 Occupant: Gerald Kruzel Contents: Fishing gear, containers, boxes. Unit #R4021010

Occupant: Jack Stringfellow Contents: Tires, computer, antique furniture. Unit #R3291015 Occupant: Balthazar Reyes Contents: Boxes, TV, air conditioner, furniture.

Unit #R2501010 Occupant: Teresa Haberstroh Contents: Boxes. Unit #R2201010 Occupant: Jennifer Krammen Contents: Furniture, boxes,

ed to cover same.

Sale will be held on July 23.

2005 on the premises of

SAFEWAY SELF STORAGE

1100 W. Rollins Road, Round

Lake Heights, Illinois 60073,

(Fairfield and Rollins Road) at

approximately 9:00 a.m. to

12:00 noon. SAFEWAY SELF

STORAGE reserves the right

to withdraw any or all of the

above mentioned items prior

0715C-7291-RL

July 15, 22, 2005

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person(s) owning, conducting

or transacting the business

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conduct the business this

OFFICIAL SEAL

Notary Public

/s/Christina J. Hom

Willard R. Helander

July 8, 15, 22, 2005

Lake County Clerk

0708B-7275-GL

Received: June 29, 2005

29th day of June 2005.

Is/are correct as shown.

'/s/ Kevin Waldenstrom

June 29, 2005

These items and all items stored in the above units will be sold to the highest bidder for cash. Removal of all items from the premises must be within three days from date of sale and a security bond post-

books.

to sale.

ACCIDENTS.

OFFICIAL SEAL /s/Linda M. Paulson Notary Public Received: July 5, 2005 Willard R. Helander

PUBLIC NOTICE **ASSUMED BUSINESS** NAME application

Mold Seekers NATURE/PURPOSE: Commercial & residential mold inspection & remediation ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 319 Fairfax Ln., Grayslake, IL. 60030, (847)543-8025. NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS Kevin Waldenstrom, 319 Fairfax Ln., Grayslake, IL. 60030, (847)543-8025. STATE OF ILLINOIS)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named busi-

> This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown. /s/ Edward L. Dague June 24, 2005

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 24th day of June 2005.

OFFICIAL SEAL /s/Mark A. Kendall Notary Public Received: July 5, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0708B-7272-FL July 8, 15, 22, 2005

44 MINUTES 01 SECONDS WEST, 108.66 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 57 DEGREES 11 MINUTES 34 SECONDS WEST, 34.5.3 FEET; THENCE SOUTH OO DEGREES 15 MINUTES 59 SEC-ONDS WEST, 83.59 FEET; THENCE NORTH 88 DEGREES 01 MINUTES 3.3 SECONDS WEST, 67.19 FEET TO A POINT OF CURVATURE; THENCE SOUTHWESTERLY ALONG AN

ARC, CONCAVE TO THE SOUTHEAST, HAVING A RADIUS 104.50 FFET FOR AN ARC DIS-TANCE OF 1.33.02 FEET TO A POINT OF REVERSE CURVATURE; THENCE SOUTHWEST-ERLY ALONG AN ARC, CONCAVE TO THE NORTHWEST, HAVING A RADIUS OF 98.12 FEET FOR AN ARC DISTANCE OF 47.16 FEET TO THE NORTHERLY BOUNDARY OF WOODLAND GREEN SUBDIVISION AFORESAID; THENCE SOUTH 64 DEGREES OO MINUTES 28 SEC-ONDS EAST ALONG SAID NORTH BOUNDARY OF WOODLAND GREEN SUBDIVISION; THENCE SOUTH 28 DEGREES 05 MINUTES 07 SECONDS WEST ALONG SAID NORTH BOUNDARY OF WOODLAND GREEN SUBDIVISION, 64.40 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGIN-NING, IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Location of property is: State Park Rd. & Grass Lake Rd.

The common address is: 7220 State Park Road, Fox Lake, Illinois 60020

Petitioner is requesting the following: P.U.D. - The property is presently classified under the Village Ordinance as R-3 with a special use, and the property is currently used as an 18 hole Public Golf Course with food and beverage facilities. The Petitioner plans on using the property as a 9 hole Public Golf course and Real Estate Development Community for individuals who are 55 years of age or older, and requests the property be designated as a P.U.D. concept of townhomes and cluster development.

Sald Petition is available for examination in the Village Clerk's office at the Village Hall in Fox Lake, Illinois

All interested persons are invited to attend said hearing and be heard.

Respectfully submitted, Ron Stochl, Chairman Fox Lake Zoning Board of Appeals

PUBLIC NOTICE **ASSUMED BUSINESS** NAME application NAME OF BUSINESS: Katzen & Company NATURE/PURPOSE: Online Retail Business ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 621 Windsor Dr., Fox Lake, IL. 60020, (847)973-1452. NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR

Windsor Dr., Fox Lake, IL. 60020, (847)973-1452. STATE OF ILLINOIS) COUNTY OF LAKE) This is to certify that the un-dersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business

TRANSACTING BUSINESS

Forrest, Paula Rossen, 621

/s/ Forrest Rossen /s/ Paula Rossen July 1, 2005 The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 1st.

Is/are correct as shown.

day of July 2005. OFFICIAL SEAL /s/Adriana Lomeli Notary Public Received: July 1, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0708B-7271-FL July 8, 15, 22, 2005

> PUBLIC NOTICE **ASSUMED BUSINESS** NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS: Hair's 2 U NATURE/PURPOSE: Beauty Salon ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 122 Peterson Rd., Libertyville, IL. 60048, (847)362-0425, NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS Mary L. Schaper-Blough,

PUBLIC NOTICE **ASSUMED BUSINESS** NAME application NAME OF BUSINESS:

Reliable Digital NATURE/PURPOSE: Satelite, home theater installation & service ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 2721 Ezra, Zion, IL. 60099, (847)746-4877. NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS James W. Combs, 2721 Ezra, Zion, IL. 60099, (847)746-4877. STATE OF ILLINOIS)

COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) Indicated and that the true and le-

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS **ASSUMED BUSINESS** NAME application NAME application NAME OF BUSINESS: NAME OF BUSINESS: Tile Arts In Towne Electric

NATURE/PURPOSE: Electrical ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 32697 N. Innetowne Rd., Lakemoor, IL. 60051, (847)759-9757. NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS Jessica L. Hutchison. 32697 N. Innetowne Rd., Lakemoor, IL. 60051, (847)759-9757. STATE OF ILLINOIS)

COUNTY OF LAKE) This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business Is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Jessica L. Hutchison June 30, 2005 The foregoing instrument day of July 2005. was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 30th day of June 2005.

OFFICIAL SEAL /s/Adriana Lomeli Notary Public Received: June 30, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0708B-7274-FL July 8, 15, 22, 2005

1400 Manchester Dr., Mundelein, IL. 60060. STATE OF ILLINOIS)

COUNTY OF LAKE) This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown. /s/ Mary L. Schaper-Blough June 28, 2005

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 28th day of June 2005. OFFICIAL SEAL

/s/Christina J. Hom Notary Public Received: June 28, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0701A-7267-LB July 1, 8, 15, 2005

gal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business Is/are correct as shown. /s/ James W. Combs July 5, 2005

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 5th day of July 2005. OFFICIAL SEAL

/s/Christina J. Hom Notary Public Received: July 5, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0715C-7294-GP July 15, 22, 29, 2005

NATURE/PURPOSE: Tile work ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 3422 Jen Ave., Park City, IL. 60085, (847)651-6413. NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS Allan R. Perez, 3422 Jen Ave., Partk City, IL. 60085, (847)651-6413. STATE OF ILLINOIS)

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COUNTY OF LAKE This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown. /s/ Allan R. Perez

July 5, 2005 The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 5th

Lake County Clerk 0708B-7276-GP July 8, 15, 22, 2005

NAME OF BUSINESS:

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PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application NAME OF BUSINESS: EDUC8FAQS.COM NATURE/PURPOSE: Software design and software retail sale ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE

CONDUCTED OR TRANS-ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 35391 Everett, Ingleside, IL 60041, (847)587-9359. NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS Edward L. Dague, 35391 Everett, Ingleside, IL. 60041, (847)587-9359. STATE OF ILLINOIS)

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PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME WITHDRAWAL OF OWNER(S) OR CANCELLATION NAME OF BUSINESS: Hair's 2-U ORIGINAL DATE FILED:

11-28-00 STATE OF ILLINOIS) COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the person(s) listed below has/have ceased doing business under the assumed name or has/have no further connection or financial interest in said business. Withdrawal shall be effective: July 1, 2005 **BUSINESS:** Elizabeth (Libbie) Wallace 122 Peterson Libertyville, IL. 60048 (847)362-0425 /s/ Elizabeth Wallace HOME: Elizabeth (Libbie) Wallace

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OFFICIAL SEAL /s/Christina J. Hom Notary Public Received: June 28, 2005 Willard R. Helander Lake County Clerk 0701A-7268-LB July 1, 8, 15, 2005

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COUNTY OF LAKE) This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown. /s/ Paris A Paris June 23, 2005

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In the early 1930s, the two-story frame building became the home of the Grayslake Times. Newspapers with their role of fostering commerce and dispensing information have been published there since, an uninterrupted activity of seven decades as the 21st century unfolds.

The venerable building still featured a center door flanked by two dingy show windows when Marshall R. Schroeder, and his son, William H. Schroeder, established Lakeland Publishers Inc., July 3, 1956. A battery of Linotype typesetting machines, a

two-page printing press, type cases and several hand presses for job work had taken the place of flour barrels, drygoods counters, harness racks and a reliable coal stove around which towns folk gathered to visit and "get the news."

The two professional newspapermen, the father as a career weekly newspapermanager, and the son with a University of Illinois journalism degree, and work experience on two Illinois dailies, plunged into publishing with 14-hour days and their life's savings at risk. It was the son who provided the idea, the father made it happen.

"I was very fortunate to have a father who was interested in the same thing," William Schroeder said. "Because I didn't have any money."

Their investment in newspapering was represented by the Grayslake Times, the Round Lake News, and the Fox Lake Press; three weeklies languishing as make-work sidelines for the former owner, a Linotype operator by trade who concentrated on pro-



Lakeland Newspapers current home at 30 S. Whitney St., Grayslake

ducing bill-heads and flyers. The Schroeders quickly spruced up both the premises and the papers, setting about to capture both advertisers and subscribers with a commitment to "publish local news fairly and unbiased." Honesty and reliability plus community service was their credo.

"When we took over, there was really only one direction to go, and that was up," William Schroeder said.

Perhaps the greatest sign of the changing Times came in William Schroeder's first week on the job. In the summer of 1956 Schroeder meandered into the Village Hall, notebook and pencil in hand. The mayor of the time, Mike Reimers, kept a close eye on the young journalist before finally approaching Schroeder with a misunderstood tone.

"What are you doing here?" he had to deal with reporters."

said.

"I'm going to cover the meeting Mr. Mayor," Schroeder responded.

"What does that mean?" Reimers said, unaccustomed to this concept.

"Well, I'm going to watch, listen, take notes and report for the readers of the Grayslake Times," Schroeder said.

Reimers began scanning his fellow board members to see if he was alone in his state of confusion, seemingly asking the question, "Is this something we want?" But Reimers finally cooled on the idea and accepted Schroeder as relatively unthreatening. A standard of covering local news was established.

"I never forgot that," Schroeder said, looking back. "They never had anybody there before. They had never had to deal with reporters."

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Through those early years, the senior Schroeder, as publisher, initiated a campaign to build a regional hospital serving west Lake County. William Schroeder, as editor, began editorializing for professional police officers to replace untrained volunteers and a regional sanitation system to save the area's recreational lakes that were being despoiled by pollution as a byproduct of post World War II growth.

Record and a paper serving Gurnee and Warren Township.

Space and production limitations were solved in 1960 with the construction of a 3,000 square foot addition and the acquisition of a rotary press capable of printing 24 broad sheet pages at speeds of up to 6,000 copies per hour. Lakeland became one of the first Illinois weeklies to be printed on a rotary press. The general store image with a background in suburban publishing. Production facilities were totally replaced with cold type composition and full-color photoset printing lines. New technology reinvigorated Lakeland. Hometown papers were introduced in Gurnee and Antioch. The company purchased well-established papers in Wauconda and Fremont Township (Mundelein). Lakeland assumed publication of the Great Lakes Bulletin, official paper for the Naval Training Center, and established a reputation for producing high quality advertising tabloids for customers throughout the Chicago area.

"(Grayslake) was a great place to start," Schroeder said. "I never thought of it at the time, but it is very centrally located for us. It's equidistant to all the different areas we came to serve."

Lakeland Publishers became a Schroeder family enterprise again in 1986 when William Schroeder purchased the interests of Harold Kirchhardt who retired from newspaper publishing. Two years later, Lakeland merged the Lake Zurich Enterprise and Vernon Township paper that had been published by Nancy A. Schroeder, William's wife, from offices in Lake Zurich into the Lakeland group of community news weeklies.

Their children, who had been learning the newspaper business from hands-on jobs like mailing and delivery while going to school, became regular employees following college. After working in advertising sales, Bill Jr. became general manager.

Jill left an advertising agency in Chicago to join the advertising department. Karen, originally a Lake Zurich employee, worked in accounting and circulation. Bob's first fulltime assignment was in circulation. Later he concentrated on advertising sales.

The advent of the 1990s saw Lakeland reviving the Libertyville News and Mundelein News, which had not been published for a number of years, to give Lakeland coverage throughout Lake County.

With the rapid urbanization of the county, Lakeland maintained pace redesigning its products, upgrading distribution techniques, adopting the most modern computerized composition equipment available and acquiring the Lake County Market Journal, a mass coverage shopper paper in 1994.

During the mid-90's, Lakeland decided to explore other media opportunities by creating a new startup company, net-DIRECT, an Internet Service Provider (ISP). This venture was to concentrate on providing Internet access, web site hosting, web site development and other internetrelated products. The new company started out strong, but was competing with larger companies with more investment abilities and the company was sold in early 2000.

In the late 1990's, Lakeland Newspapers sought to become more efficient in operations and decided to suspend publication of the Lake

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"I've had the personal satisfaction of seeing the newspaper grow and serve. The satisfaction of doing what you're supposed to be doing. Throughout it all, you do your job, and call your shots like vou see them."

> William Schroeder Publisher

people within a community, and people around Lake County can rely on that information and have the comfort of knowing it will always be there," said Dave Bennet, Executive Director of the Illinois Press Association.

full-time personnel and modern equipment, Lakeland Publishers expanded in advertising and readers to a point where the one-time general store building had to be expanded. With limitations of a flatbed press, it was taking three days of printing from morning to night to assemble and distribute the original three editions that had been joined by the Lake Villa

"Information is vital to the lives of was replaced by a modern brick front with new business offices.

The 1960s saw Lakeland Publishers becoming a force not only in Lake County, but recognized for achievement throughout Illinois. Lakeland won the coveted Kramer Following a policy of reinvesting in Award for Excellence in sweepstakes competition. The papers later won the Kramer Award two more times. Another Schroeder son, M. Robert, was a member of the management team for most of the '60s.

> When Marshall Schroeder decided to step down from active publishing, William Schroeder formed a partnership in 1974 with Harold "Harry" Kirchhardt, a newspaper executive







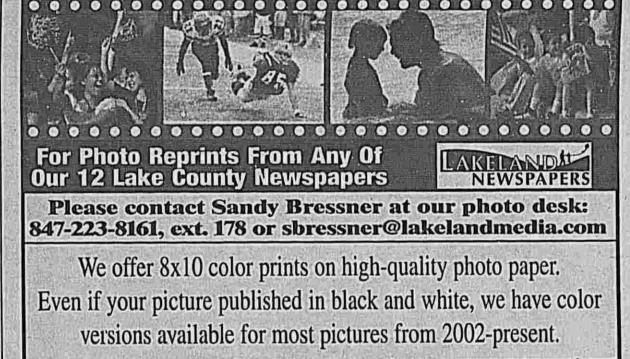


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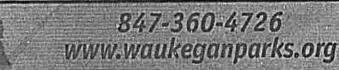


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HISTORY (from page 3)

Zurich Enterprise and Vernon Hills sistent reproduction, and allowed for news. The suspension is still in effect today.

Creating a more efficient operation led to launching another division, Alternate Deliver Express (ADX). This new division concentrated on delivering all of the Lakeland Newspapers, Market Journals and expanding into delivering product samples directly to the home. A solid business plan was in place but because of market conditions and customer input, the division was folded back into the core company.

In 2000, Lakeland Media acquired the monthly publication Country Peddler from Bill and Carol Finney of the Richmond, Illinois area. This publication focuses on the antique and collector's market in the Midwest.

At the turn of the new millennium, Lakeland Publishers incorporated a new logo and new name to help increase awareness and identity in the ever-growing Lake and McHenry markets. Lakeland Media was adopted to better reflect the diverse operation and a logo incorporating a family to represent our core local values. This logo was then incorporated into the Lakeland-owned product mastheads, to show company unity and identity.

In 2002-2003, the Market Journal refocused distribution areas by shifting focus from the Wauconda and Libertyville areas and expanding to McHenry. This time period began a project of converting al products to being designed 100% paginated and converting to electronically submitted pages. This new direction increased efficiencies, gave more conthe occasional later deadline.

In 2004, a new direction resulted in the production of expo shows, taking advantage of synergistic advertising and marketing opportunities to enhance customer relations and company stature. Market Journal relaunched distribution in the Wauconda and Island Lake areas, preparing to celebrate its 10th anniversary with Lakeland Media.

Most recently, Lakeland newspapers started the Waukegan Times and enhancedthe current local new package. Plans are already in motion to better develop Lakeland's web site and expand the current market.

"We live in an interesting time for anyone in business," Bennet said. "So much has gone to corporate ownership, and when that happens you lose some of that connection to the community. If you look at the history of family owned operations, you find that those families are not just putting out good papers, but serving as a bedrock for the community itself."

Future plans for Lakeland Media include: expansion of distribution with new products in Lake, McHenry and Kenosha counties.

Today, William H. Schroeder conto serve tinues Chairman/Publisher while Robert J. Schroeder is General Manager.

"I've had the personal satisfaction of seeing the newspaper grow and serve," William Schroeder said. "The satisfaction of doing what you're supposed to be doing. Throughout it all, you do your job, and call your shots like you see them."



Bill Schroeder enjoys an ear of freshly roasted corn at a Citgo grand opening in 1977.

Lakeland history

1956 - Marshall and William Schroeder purchase the Grayslake Times, Fox Lake Press, and Round Lake News giving birth to Lakeland Newspapers

1960 — Rotary Press installed and size of plant doubled

1961 - Marshall Schroeder elected president of Illinois Press Association

1974 - Gurnee Press added to Lakeland team combining Warren-Newport Press

1981 - William elected president of IPA

1988 - Lindenhurst News joins Lakeland coverage area pushing newspaper to nine villages

1989 - Libertyville News and Mundelein News bring Lakeland total to 11

1994 - Lakeland acquires Market Journal from Pulitzer

2003 - William honored with Lescher Award, a lifetime of service to suburban newspapers

2004 - Waukegan Times established as newspaper No. 12

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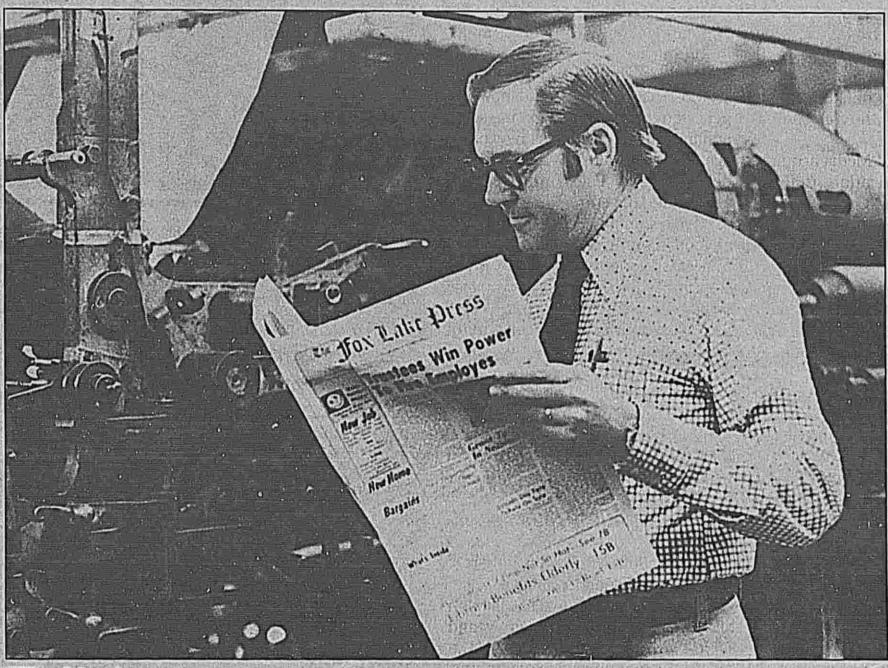
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William Schroeder

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department of Lakeland Newspapers,
he will represent the fourth generation of a family involved in newspapering in Illinois for 71 years.

The energetic fifth grader, who considers baseball, basketball, football, sailing and guitar playing as major interests AFTER working for the newspaper, is the great-grandson of Marshall R. Schroeder, who became a newspaperman by accident in 1934 when the bank where he was assistant

cashier abruptly closed during the national financial crisis of the Depression.

John is the grandson of William H. Schroeder, publisher of Lakeland Newspapers in Grayslake, a group of 11 weeklies with circulation exceeding 40,000; publishers of the Market Journal, a county-wide shopper with a distribution of 80,000 copies; publisher of the Great Lake Bulletin, the official newspaper of the Great Lakes Naval Station and various niche publications.

John's mother, Jill DePasquale, a third generation member of the Schroeder family, combines raising three children with serving as Market Journal advertising manager. She is following a family tradition of commitment in the publishing business.

Marshall, who died of congestive heart failure complications in 1986, would approve of his great-grandson getting an early start in the newspaper business, child labor laws not withstanding. He probably would have said something like, "Never hurts to get an early start in the newspaper business. We teach the youngsters how to get the paper out, and that learning to do a job is an important lesson in life."

All in all, 13 family members (still counting in 2005) have held various positions at Lakeland – two sons, eight grandchildren, the founder's wife, his daughter-in-law and now great-grandson John.

William H. Schroeder, the current publisher of the group that has earned a place of prominence in the hotly contested northeastern Illinois newspaper market, views his family's dedication to newspapering with a touch of humor.

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"As a young editor, I frowned on office romances," he said. "There are enough distractions without matchmaking interfering with publishing. So what happens? I fall in love with a beautiful blonde in our accounting department. Nancy becomes my wife, the mother of our four children and a business confidant for life."

The 76 year-old Schroeder still reports for work everyday, keeping busy writing columns, editorials and serving as a staff consultant.

"An irony of our marriage," William Schroeder said. "Is that Nancy became a publisher herself when she acquired a south Lake County newspaper and printing business after our children were grown. One of the problems we didn't envision at the time was ending up talking too much business. She eventually gave up the workaday world and devoted herself to homemaking, becoming a grandmother and spending summers as a

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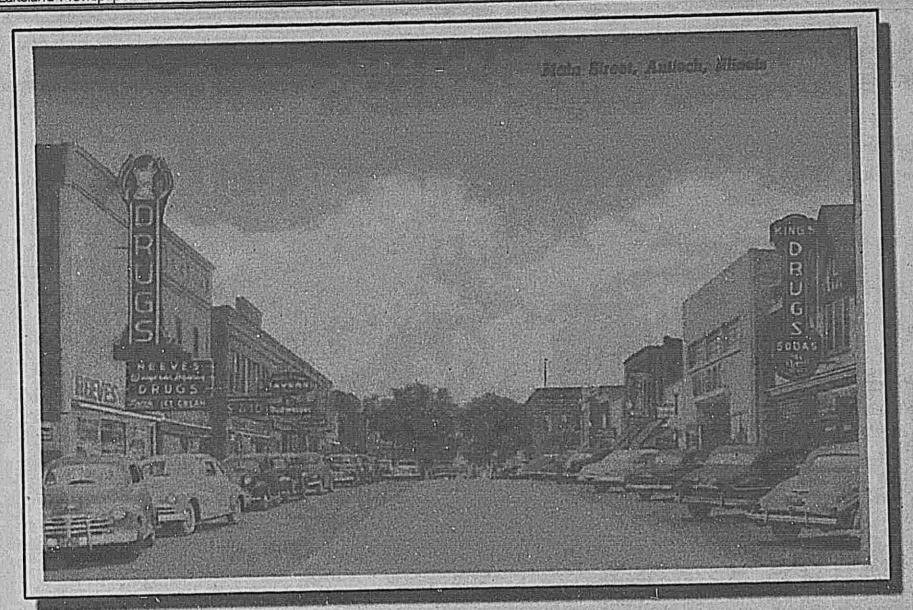
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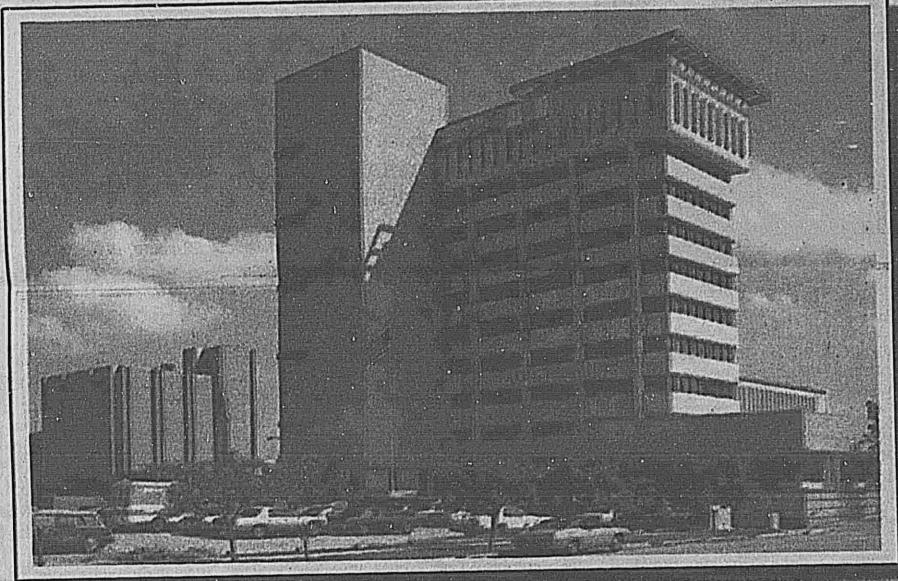


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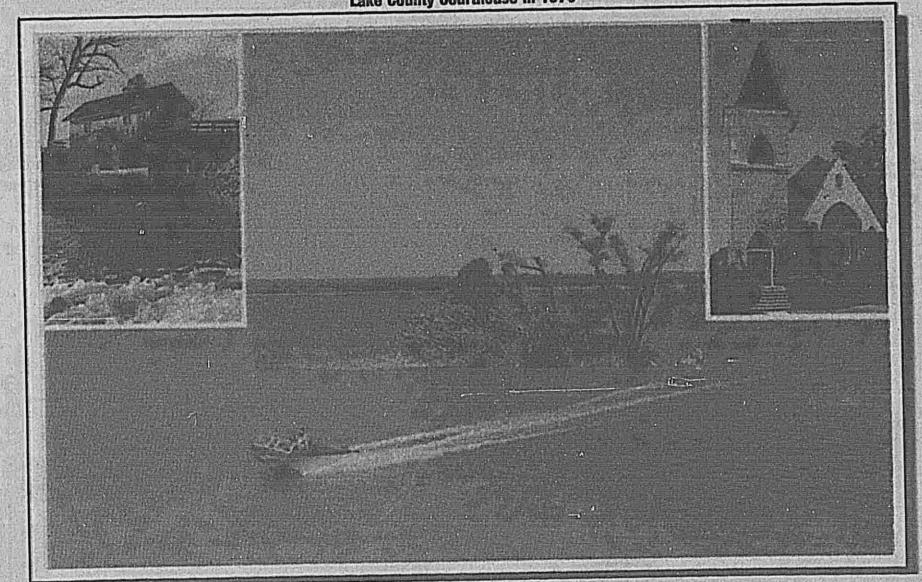
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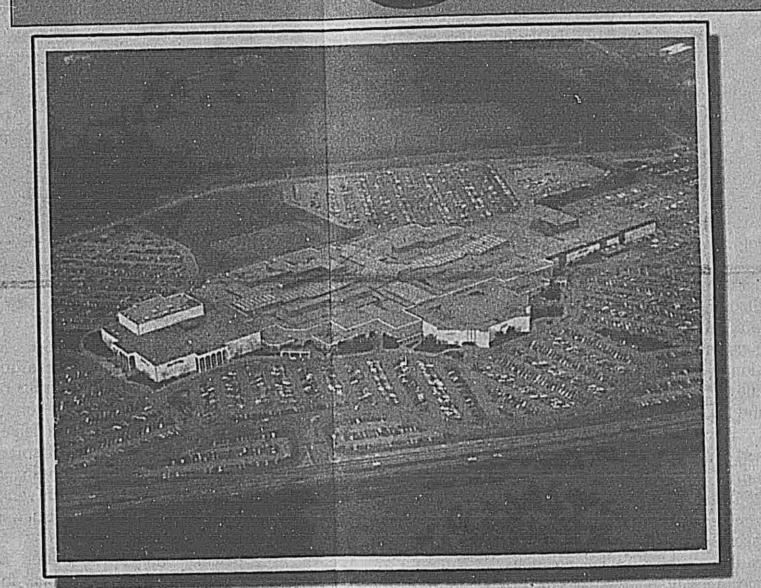


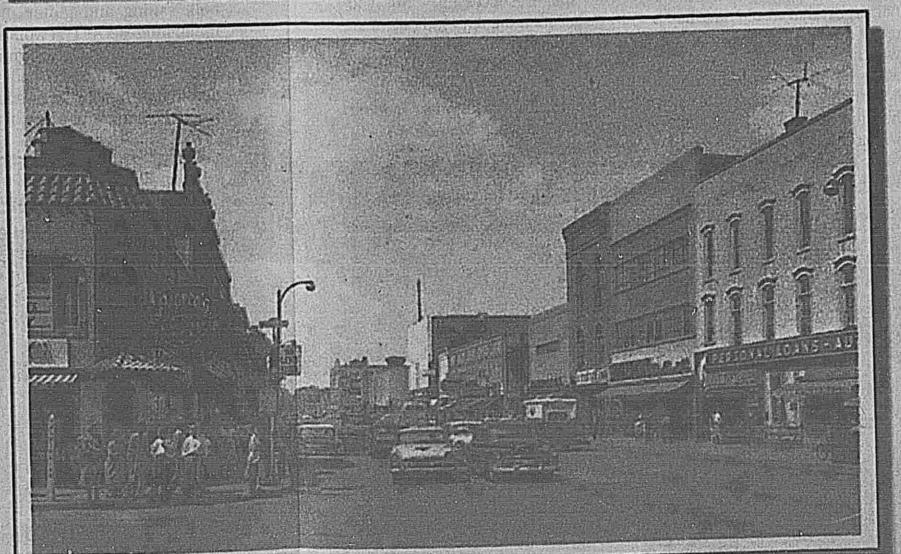
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Downtown Waukegan in 1960



Mother and daughter serving in the Women's Army Corps at Fort Sheridan, circa 1950

-Photos Courtesy of the Lake County Discovery Museum, Wauconda & Lakes Region Historical Society, Antioch

Hawthorn Mall opening



SCHROEDER (from page 5)

fierce competitor in the sailing club operated on the lake where we live."

Marshall Schroeder's goal was to create a family legacy in the newspaper business. He was succesfull on William and Nancy's side. Marshall's other son, M. Robert (Bob), a University of Illinois engineering graduate, joined Lakeland to take over production, and to spearhead advertising and printing sales.

"My brother was a mechanical whiz and a born salesman," William said. "But he eventually tired of the long hours, frequent seven day work weeks typical of the weekly newspaper business, and returned after 10 years to heavy equipment sales."

The first "Bob" Schroeder (his nephew is the company's current Vice President) sparked rapid growth in the 1960's when Lakeland started or acquired other weeklies and took full advantage of modern-for-its-day hot metal typesetting plant and a rotary press acquired in 1960. The rotary press, rare for weeklies at the time, was capable of printing 24 board sheet pages or 48 tabloid pages in a single pass and reduced printing time for the seven-paper group at that time from three days on a flatbed press to one afternoon.

William Schroeder recalled how the rapid acceptance of cold type and rotary offset printing made Lakeland's printing plant "obsolete virtually overnight." When Marshall Schroeder retired in 1974, Harold R. "Harry" Kirchhardt joined the company and guided Lakeland's conversion to cold type and offset. With improved quality, expanded color and greater efficiency, Lakeland enjoyed a decade of expansion.

During this period, Lakeland was recognized for editorial achievement, winning the coveted Kramer Trophy as best weekly in its circulation size in Illinois on three different occasions.

William and Nancy's children were "inoculated" with ink in their veins at an early age. It's a family joke that Bill, Bob and Karen remind their parents today at family reunions. "We were told that we were learning the family business. Actually we were sweeping floors, emptying waste baskets and folding papers by hand," the offspring recite.

In reality, though, the mundane experiences paid off. By the time they were teenagers, the Schroeder kids were able to assume the duties in sales, delivering and paste up. "They didn't realize it, but helping in a news-

paper family provided experience and a work ethic all of them are utilizing today," their father recalled.

Today, Bill Jr. is an executive with a Dallas publishing firm. Karen is a professional in the recruiting and employment search industry. Jill and Bob are providing leadership for the family business in its seventh

decade.

"Nancy and I are proud when our children compliment their parents for the opportunity and education of growing up in a family involved in the publishing business," William remarked. "That's a distinction not very Marshall R. Schroeder many families have."

During their college the young years, Schroeders never strayed far from publishing. Athe the U of I, Bill Jr. worked part time in sales for The (Champaign) News-Gazette. Jill, a U of I grad in advertising and marjoined keting, Leo Advertising Burnett Agency's Chicago office where she cut a budding career short by turning to the family business.

"I always felt left out of weekends when the rest of the family was discussing Lakeland business," Jill said.

After one year at Champaign-Urbana, Robert J. Schroeder Karen traded college

studies for full-time work at Lakeland, progressing from production duties, to the accounting department, handling human resources affairs and even eventually heading up circulation and distribution.

As a student at Purdue University, Bob worked one night a week as a press helper printing the Purdue Exponent. That experience proved to be invaluable when Bob worked his way up the ladder at Lakeland, eventually becoming General Manager where negotiating printing contracts and supervising production is a key component of his duties.

Repeating an axiom learned from his grandfather, the young newspaper executive related, "I was always willing to do any job to help get the paper out. Grandpa always said, 'Learn as much as you can about the business,

then nobody can pull the wool over your eyes." That's how Bob experienced photography, darkroom tech, junior ad salesman, and circulation duties still in high school. After college, he concentrated on circulation management and even pulled a stint as managing editor during an interim period.

His grandfather would have been proud of his multi-talented offspring.

Bob's mechanically-challenged dad looked more at his son's versatility as rounding out all facets of training in newspaper management - "something you can't learn in college."

The Schroeder-family style of journalism was steeped in community service. Lakeland today belongs to more than two dozen chambers of commerce and business booster organizations in its coverage area. One of Marshall Schroeder's first editorial projects after founding the publishing company in 1956 was to campaign for a west Lake County hospital to provide fast health care services. As editor of the growing weekly group, Bill Schroeder served on a citizens committee to create a county-wide Public Works Department that instituted regional sanitation service and cleared up pollution in recreation lakes. Schroeder's editorials and

Agency to control flooding on the upper Fox River and promote water quality. The Schroeder papers gave strong backing to formation of a community college district in the early 1960's and establishment of the Lake

Waterway

Lakeland's hard-hitting news

Management

County Health Dept. The current publisher opined, "We lost a few causes. Dad's dream of a local hospital never materialized, but it sparked awareness and helped attract new doctors to the Lakeland area. We weren't successful in expanding a community airfield to a regional airport that would have had a big impact on the local economy. You can't win them all."

Besides his family and his newspapers, Marshall Schroeder's other love was the Republican Party. He served as a precinct committeeman for many years and helped organize the Lake County Republican Federation which raises money for candidates and presents speakers of national prominence. In 1964, he was slated to run for state representative in the famous at-large election. Unsuccessful, Schroeder remarked afterwards. "I had a good time campaigning, but I didn't belong in Springfield. I belong at home publishing newspapers."

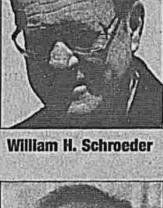
Both Marshall and William Schroeder were active in the Illinois Press Association. Marshall was thrilled to install his son as IPA president in 1980, 20 years after he himself had served as association president. William early on recognized suburban journalism as a distinct force in the weekly newspaper industry. William helped form the Suburban Press Foundation in 1964, first national organization to identify the suburban field. He served as program chairman at the first national convention held in Chicago. Suburban Press Foundation was a forerunner of Suburban Newspapers of American, the leading voice of the industry that now includes weekly and daily newspapers in both the U.S. and Canada.

"Dad and I both agreed that the friendships forged and the good times enjoyed at newspaper association meeting were some of the best times of our lives. We made life-time friends," remarked William. In 2003, William was presented the Dean Lesher Award, the highest honor SNA bestows and recognition of life-time achievement in the suburban newspaper publishing field.

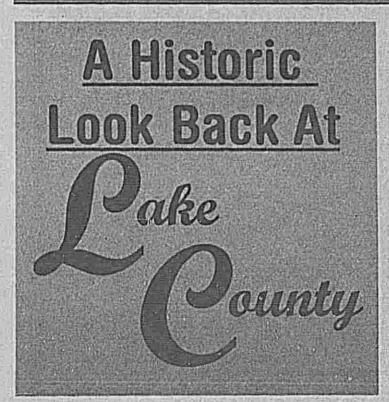
Lydia Schroeder, Marshall's widow, created in 1991 the Schroeder-Lakeland coverage helped form the Fox... Newspaper Scholarship at the College of Lake County, on year's tuition, books and fees for a student studying print journalism. The family points with pride to the flag staff installation and the American flag that flies over IPA headquarters at Springfield, a family gift memorializing M.R. Schroeder.

. William Schroeder summed up the family commitment to journalism. "M.R. Schroeder had a philosophy about weekly newspaper publishing that holds to this day. It boils down to something like, 'You have to put a lot of time and effort into making a community newspaper successful. But you always get out more than you put in."

This belief has been both a guiding principle and an accepted truth for members of a family engaged I newspaper publishing in Illinois for more than 70 years.—By Brian Janosch This was featured in Family Newspapers: Celebrating Illinois History, an Illinois Press Association collection.









Grayslake drive in concession stand in 1960.-Courtesy of the Lake County Discovery Museum.

Headlines through the years...

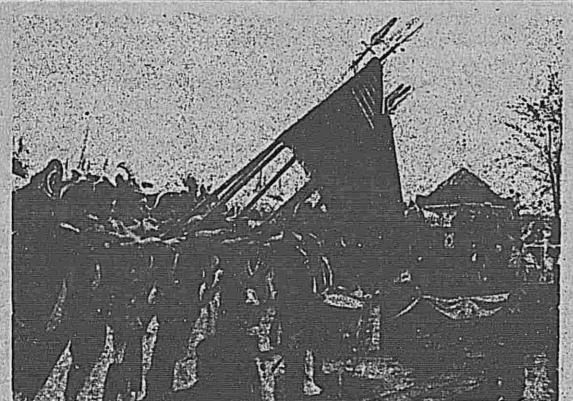
Gurnee Mills generates shopping frenzy

On a rain soaked August day in the summer of 1991, 2.2 million square feet of shopping spleandor opened its doors for the first time.

Gurnee Mills welcomed more than 75,000 shoppers on its first day of business, and quickly became one of the Midwest's largest shopping centers. The mall featured several larger outlet stores, a Gurnee Mills staple that would only duplicate in the years to come.

"The consumer has changed," said Herb Miller, Spokesman for the Grand Opening. "They want a wider and deeper selection. We think we should have good value all the time and want to make it fun to shop again."

At the time, 6 outlet stores and 157 smaller tennants lined the winding walkways of Gurnee Mills. Since its opening in 1991the mall has continued to grow, adding several outlet stores like the Bass Pro Shop and pushing their total tennats over the 200 mark.



PLAY FOR OPENER — Warren High School's band played during grand opening of Marriott's Great America Theme Park Saturday, May 29, which began its season after three years of planning with Gurnee village officials. Rainy weather held down expected overflowing opening day crowds. Gurnee Police Chief Keith Porter said he was amazed at smoothness of traffic flow. — Photo by Layton Plyman.

Great America puts Lake County on tourism map

America's bicentennial was a fitting year to start a project that would garner the name "Great America."

After three years of planning, May 29, 1976 finally brought Lake County into an entirely different echelon of tourist locals. The Marriott Corporation's 650 acre theme park opened its gates to visitors nation-wide, featuring several towering roller coasters unheralded to the parts at the time.

It took only two short months before one million visitors had already passed through the theme park, and numbers haven't staggered since. Just this year Six Flags took yet another forward step opening Hurricane Harbor, a giant water park featuring more than 25 slides and attractions.

College of Lake County erected in Grayslake

After several years as a modest one-room office, the College of Lake County finally spreads its wings and opens a brand new building accommodating 2,360 full and part-time students. It was the largest opening day number for any Illinois junior college.

CLC first employed 115 employees including 80 full-time professors. They offered 224 different courses at a tuition rate of 7 dollars per semester hour.

Just three years later CLC would break ground on their permanent campus at its current location. In its first 10 years CLC's enrollment would jump by more than 10,000 students.

The rise and fall of Lakehurst Shopping Center

The first major shopping center in all of Lake County, Lakehurst opened to grand expectations in 1971. It took \$2 million to purchase the 200 acres of land needed for the shopping center, but upon its inception, Lakehurst stood in a leage all its own.

The mall hinged on its cornerstone stores J.C. Penny, Carson Prairie Scott and Wieboldt, and also featured more than 100 smaller stores.

But as the century turned, as did the fate of the one time consumer's hub of Lake County. In January of 2004, 33 years after Lakehurst moved into Lake County, the mall was comepletely demolished. Most recently, talks have swirled of a Wal-Mart and possibly a casino filling the void left by Lakehurst.

Libertyville, Carmel football steal fall of 2003

Few things rally a community like a successful football season, and few seasons have compared to the fall of 2003 when Libertyville and Carmel both took rides down to state.

The two schools, located just a few miles apart, each rallied their ways through the state playoffs - Carmel in Class 6A, Libertyville in Class 7A.

In the title game, Carmel rode victorious beating Bloomington 54-to-26, scoring the game's final 29 points en route to a state title. Libertyville, however, wound up just short of glory losing in double overtime to Oswego, 28-21. Libertyville got revenge the next year though when they marched back to Champaign and took the crown in 2004.

Other headlines through the years:

Navy Base remains open Genesee Theater reopens Blues Brothers films in Wauconda Lake Villa police shootout at Eagle Lake Michigan approved

for water supply
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Lake drained for Lakeland Plaza

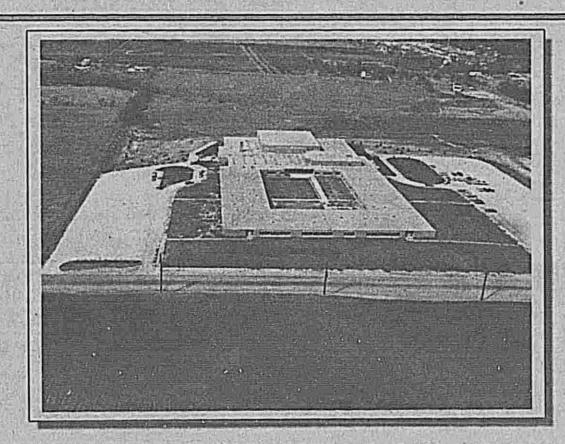
Towns Annexed in 50 years:

Lindenhurst 1956
Vernon Hills 1958
Old Mill Creek 1959
Third Lake 1959
Green Oaks 1960
Round Lake Heights 1960
Wadsworth 1962
Millburn 1979
Volo 1993



Members of the William Schroeder family are Joined by State Sen. Terry Link (D-Waukegan), Grayslake Farmers Market Chairman Pam Navarre, Grayslake Mayor Tim Perry, State Rep. Robert Churchill (R-Lake Villa) and James Killian of Lake Forest Hospital during a presentation in honor of the 100th anniversary of the Grayslake Times, published by the Schroeder-owned Lakeland Media. The event was part of the Grayslake Farmers Market.

Mundelein High School in 1961-Courtesy of the Lake County Discovery Museum.



A Historic
Look Back At

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From pen to press: How the paper is published



But how does it all happen? How do they get the news? How does the news get into the paper? How does the paper get to the reader?

For readers, the newspaper just shows up once a week. But for the employees involved in putting that paper together, there's an entire week of work poured into every square inch of print, photography or advertising inside each newspaper.

The Lakeland week runs on a bit of a different schedule than the typical work week, running from Thursday to Wednesday. Each Wednesday the paper is sent out to be printed and then eventually sent to newsstands and readers. But before that paper even makes it to the mailbox; Lakeland employees are already working towards the next weeks papers.

Reporters have the job of gathering the news. Often spending Thursday and Friday organizing potential leads and contacting sources, each town's reported is responsible for filling their local paper along with any county or entertainment news for Lakeland's other news sections.

Meanwhile, ad representatives work just as feverously to fill the space just south of the news content - the advertisements. Each representative works within a specific zone, maintaining close relationships with local business owners. Once all their ads are sold, the size of the newspaper can be determined. The front, local section can vary from eight, to 16 pages depending on the amount of content a given week provides.

By the time Monday and Tuesday roll around, the designers begin to throw their hats in the ring. Ad designers begin creating the different ads that will run in that week's paper while the page designers begin mapping out how each page will fit structurally into the entire paper. At the same time, the reporters attend their weekly

town meetings that generally fall at the front end of the week. By Tuesday, the majority of their news content is completed so Wednesday can be dedicated solely to putting the newspaper together and editing it.

Wednesday is the day where everything comes together, and it all happens on the computer screens of Lakeland's design staff. Each designer coordinates the location of every story, picture, graphic, ad and anything else that finds its way onto the pages of Lakeland Newspapers. Once a given page is completed, it is printed off and edited by the editorial staff before receiving a stamp of approval.

Once all the pages have been thoroughly checked out, and the paper is ready to be printed, it's time for the news to leave 30 South Whitney for the first time.

The designers spend the end of each Wednesday creating digital images of each news page and uploading them to a FTP site run by the Des Plaines Publishing Company. Once the **Des Plaines Printing Company** receives every last page of the paper, they run off all the necessary copies and leave them waiting for the next leg in the process - the circulation.

Around 12 a.m. on Thursday morning, a circulation truck rolls up to the printing company and loads up all 35,000 plus newspapers for that week. That truck then carries everything over to Lakeland's Lake Villa based circulation department where all the individual pieces of the newspaper are organized into the copy the reader receives in their mailbox.

The circulation staff also adds any inserts going into that week's paper, and puts all the papers into bundles then organizes them based on which part of the county they will head off to. The majority of the papers are set aside and slapped with mailing stickers so they can arrive at subscriber's homes. The rest of them hustled out to newsstands throughout Lakeland's coverage area.

By Friday the entire process is complete with Lakeland subscribers opening their newspapers with the rest of the day's mail. It may be a once-a-week occurrence for the readers, but for everyone involved in putting that paper out, it's a week long process that begins just as soon as it ends. -By Brian Janosch





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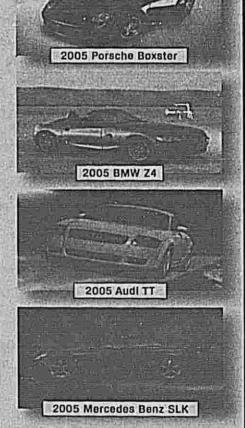
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